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DOWIE HONORS WIFE

How He Pushed Her Into the Limelight of His Zion.

Placed Queenly Diadom on Head of Dall, Diffident Little Woman and Robed Her in Garments of Richest Texture.

Attired in a gown of regal splendor and with magnificent rose diamonds and other costly gems adorning her somewhat diminutive figure. Mrs. Jane Dowie, wife of John Alexander Dowie, was inducted one night in the summer of 1901 into office as the only woman "overseer" of Zion church and the Zion business enterprises. The ceremony of the installation and her investiture with the Zion robe of office was held in the Zion tabernaele, in Michigan avenue, near Sixteenth street, Chicago, the project for the building of Zion City near Waukegan being as yet in its infancy.

The Chicago Chronicle says that until this formal "bringing out" of Mrs. Dowie little was known of her outside of the closstered walls of the Zion headquarters at Michigan avenue and Twelfth street. So her investiture in the exalted office as joint ruler with her husband over the fortunes of Zion was the opening of a new epoch in the history of the Dowie movement.

Her gorgeous robe, resplendent with the imported jewelry purchased with the money of the tithe-paying Zion congregation, fairly dazzled the multitude. Her costume on that gala occasion was faintly striped with the predominating Zion color, a fine shade of mother of pearl. She was hailed with glad acclaim as the "Zion queen, the royal consort of the high priest and prophet, Elijah III., general overseer of all the hosts of Zion." Her husband, the prince consort, "Elijah" Dowie, was unable to be present at the ceremony, as he was at that moment dodging the police who of that section of Virginia, than has were seeking to arrest him on a warrant issued by a deputy coroner in whose court a jury had rendered a verdict that same evening holding Dowle responsible for the death of Mrs. Worthington Judd, a Dowielte who had been denied medical aid at the command of the leader of Zion.

She had only just returned from a visit to Paris, where she had sojourned a year, most of the time in the hands of private teachers and tutors, whose task had been to give her the schooling she falled to get in her youth and which was felt to be necessary even at a late date



MRS. JANE DOWIE.
of John Alexander Dowie, the
Founder of Zion City.)

in view of the queenly part her devoted husband had long been planning for her to play in Zion.

Except that she is a first cousin of her husband, nothing has ever been made known as to the family history of Mrs. Dowie. Before as well as after marriage she was Jane Dowie, her father being a brother of John Murray Dowie, the putative father of the man she married, but whom the master of Zion has repudiated of late, claiming for himself a divine origin as the reincarnation of Elijah and a sort of immaculate conception on the part of his

pre-widowed" mother. John Alexander Dowie married Miss Jane Dowie in Australia early in the 70's. She has been the companion of all his joys and sorrows ever since. She has been described as possessing none of the colossal effrontery of her husband. It was the gossip of Zion that at the time she was tricked out with the title of ecclesiastical honor she did not relish it a bit, but was bent by her husband's daring will to share with him in a formal, open manner the theoeratic throne he has erected with other people's money on the shores of Lake Michigan. Since then she has made sundry pitiable efforts to be flamboyant and has made some feeble attempts at public speaking in the Zion tabernacles. But it is said on authority that by nacreature, who would make jelly rolls

Mr. Barney McKay, represented by Attorneys Louis G: Gregory and J. A. much better—and more happily—than [Cobb, has filled suit in the Supreme ture she is really a diffident, dull little compound daring conspiracies with her

ambitious husband. Mrs. Dowie is now in Enrope, where the went with her son at the conclusion of the fiasco of the late invasion of New York by the hosts of Zion. One of the persistent rumors about her trip is that she carried with her over 1200.000 besides costs. sion of the flasco of the late invasion \$3,000,000 in treasure, and that the die-

expearance or that sum was one of the sontributing causes of the bankruptcy proceedings in which her husband has figured during the last few weeks. With her soz, Gladstone Dowie, she is on the way to Australia, the country from which she and her husband departed penniless 20 years ago and where the prophet has announced he expects to join her in the spring.

The Perpetual Snow Line. In no country does the line of per-petual snow reach the seacoast.

COL. CAMPBELL SLEMP.

The Only Republican in the Virginia Delegation to Congress-A Member of the District of Columbia Committee.

The Educate Maria of the basiness may be starting facts revealed by the casus show that those who hold the most matter and on mistake, for Co. Slemp, Speaker and the minimum illiteracy, in the caperione of buthess flisters, which is true of no other in the fluouse of Representatives, Rips in the Caperion of the person of the best sussians found in the black best war among that the war form made an onlistake, for Co. Slemp, Speaker in the fluous of Representatives, Rips in the fluous of Representatives, Rips in the fluous of Representatives, Rips in the fluous of Representatives and suspiness man of the starting facts of the conference of buthess flisters with the minimum illiteracy, among the tarting facts of the conference of buthess flisters and write a mong that the minimum illiteracy among the angulation. I am a superior of the best obstiness flisters are the minimum illiteracy among the angulation. I am a superior of the su been accomplished since the close of the civil war. He is one of the leading Republicans of the State, and his section, and has always insisted upon a thorough organization of the Republi-

can party.
Two years ago after President Roose yelt's announcement from Oyster Bay that southern Republicans must fight for party principles if they expect any patronage from him, to the day of his nomination, there was no thought of nominating any Republicans for Congress from Virginia. Col. Slemp said, "they have eliminated the negro, now let us white men fight for the libertles that Washington and his comrades fought for more than a century ago."
The Colonel was nominated and the eontest was short and hot, and he won by a good majority, but through the machinations of the Democratic election officers, his majority was reduced to less than three hundred. His canvass was marked by that cool and convincing manner that appeals to the rea sons of men who know what they want, and who they desire to ask for

what they want. Col. S!emp is one of the best speakers in the State, and in 1879 when he was touring the State in the interest of the Readjuster cause, it was said that he and Parson John E. Massey knew more about the State debt question than any two men in the State. In 1889 he was nominated far Lieut. Governor on the Republican ticket with Gea'l. Mahone, and made a brilliant canvass

You will find him busy every day in black belt. Congress and in the hotel lobbies conversing with men from all sections of larly, I know he is growing worse evethe country, explaining to them the ry year. You can scarcely pick up a great advantages offered to business newspaper whose pages are not blackmen in southwest Virginia. Republi-cans are already talking of nominating him for Governor next year and friends gre brute, and this crime, I want to impress you, is but the manifestation of the negro's aspiration for social predict his election. Col. Slemp is one of the most pleasing men in Congress, equality, encouraged largely by the character of free education in vogue,

coal and timber lands. Was a student at the Emory and Henry College, Virginia, but left before he had finished his course and when the war between the states began, he took up arms for the cause of the South, following the fortunes of the southern Confederace. the cause of the South, following the fortunes of the southern Confederacy till the close of that great conflict. Rising from Captain 21st Virginia Battaling to Colorel of the following the figure of the following the confideracy till the close of that great conflict. Rising from Captain 21st Virginia Battaling to Colorel of the following the confederacy till will for the negro, but I am simply them a man so tack!

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THE CIVIL RIGHTS LAW.

Court of the District against John J McDonnell, a saloon keeper on 7th street n. w, for assault and violation of the Civil Rights Law. It is alleged that the defendant assaulted and un-

AN INFAMOUS LIBEL

A GRAVE CHARGE AGAINST. THE NEGROES.

Education Degrades the Negro?

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 19.—In his inaugural address, delivered to-day before a joint session of the Mississippi legislature, Gov. James K. Vardaman declared that the growing tendency of the negro to commit criminal assault on white women is nothing more or less than the manifestation of the racial desire for social equality. In strongical desire for social equality. In strongical desire for social equality. cial desire for social equality. In strong terms he declared that education is

THE SECRET CONFERENCE

THE WIZZARD IS ASKED TO EXPLAIN.

Dubois Shakes the Wizzard's Hand And Declares that he is Satisfied That P.of. Washington has been Sinned Against-All Satisfied But

the curse of the negro race, and urged an amendment to the State constitution that will place the distribution of the cemmon school fund solely within the power of the legislature. Continuing his discussion of the negro question, Gov. Fardaman, said:

"As a race he is deteriorating morally every day. Time has demonstrated that he is more criminal as a free man than as a slave, that he is increasing in criminality with frightful rapidity, being one-third more criminal in

himself? The story continuest hat Lewis made no rejoinder and that M r WASHINGTON'S OPPOSERS HOLD

A LOVE FEAST.

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Morgan continued his writing The
opinion is expressed that if, ever the
proceedings of this secret conclave is
made public, Mr. Morgan's notes will
furnish more complete information than
those of Kelly Miller, who acted as
Secretary of the conference.

Another story is to the effect that Mr. Washington became exceedingly uneasy when he learned that Mr. William Munroe Trotter was in New York. Mr. Trotter is Washington's "bete noire." One evening it became noised about that one of the New York papers was to contain a sensational ac-Massachusetts—Clem. Mergan and Atterney Lewis Have Words—Great Excitement.

Count of the conference, and rotwithstanding the fact that every precaution had been taken to keep things out of the papers. Immediately Emmet Scott, Whittie McKinlay and Charlie Anderson was a constituted in the conference of the conference.

vented its publication. Then it was decided to publish certain facts and this was also vetoed. Then a committee on public information or something like that was appointed, consisting of three members. Some one wanted to know from whom does the committee get its authority or what shall it be called. Some one remarked that it should let it be known that some one authorized this self constituted committee. If the public should see a committee flying in the air without a tail or a name; that is the committee, because it was that is the committee, because it was born and sent out without a head or a

Many of Washington's henchmen did not come. The apologist, who went to Memphis, Tenn., was not present, seith er was Dancy, who has been trying to get on Washington's coat tail for seme time.

The office bread and butter brigade was in evidence. Washington is the Dowis of the affice holders, seekers of Mr. John P. Green is an excepts so-called big negro must get permission from Washington to talk, to walk, and to hold office. Bah.

At the close af the conference Mr.

At the close of the conference Mr. Washington mide a speech, and we are told he had a few tears on hand for histronic effects. He promised to be good hereafter, to stank for universal suffrage, higher education, and almost any old thing, if the boys would fall in and march behind him. The future will show how many birds he cannot be sufficient as the second of the conference of the confe caught by putting salt on their tails.

The last act consisted in the boys National Committeeman lof the District of Columbia-Not a Candidate for walking up to the "Captain's office

and getting their expenses. So far we have learned that the fol-So far we have learned that the following persons were present: W. E. B. Du Bois, Rev. E. C. Morris, J. W. Lyons, E. J. Scett, R. R. Moten, P. B. S. Pinchback, Rev. I. B. Scott, Whitefield McKinlay, Kelly Miller. Clement G. Morgan, A. H. Grimke, Dr. J. E. Court ney, W. H. Lewis, Charles Anderson, ney, W. H. Lewis, Charles Anderson, T. T. Fortune, Hon. E. H. Morris, S. Laing Williams, F. L. McGhee, W. H.

Laing Williams, F. L. McCinee, W. H. Steward, J. C. Napier, Alex. Walters, James H. Hayes, George L. Knox, B. T. Washington, T. T. Kealing.

White men present: Andrew Carnegie, Carl Schurz, W. K. Balwin, Jr., R. C. Ogden, George Foster Peabody, Mr. Villard, William Hayes Ward and Lyman Abbott.

W. CALVIN CHASE REMOVED:

He Had Criticised the President's Lily White Policy-Will be Blected Agyway.

The administration committee or a majority of the committee, Senator McComas and Mr. Yerkes, who has previously appointed Messrs. Chapin Brown, Lem Bradshaw and W. Calvin took place between W. K. Lewis and Brown, l.em Bradshaw and W. Calvin Clement G. Morgan. Mr. Lewis is the Chase, appointed a new committee on fifth wheel in the office of one of the last Saturday, consisting of Mr. Chapin As the story goes, Mr. fectly satisfactory and ne one applaud

ROMANCE IN VIENNA

Cobbler's Daughter to Become Wife of Rich Nobleman.

An Engagement Which Is Kooping Busy the Gossips of Austria and Hungary - Powerful Count Victim of Cupid.

Gossip is busy in the Vienna suburk of Hernals over the approaching marriage of a rich Hungarian count, of ancient lineage, with the daughter of a local shoemaker. The fortunate damsel is Elisabeth Kolazia, whose father, Joseph Kolazia, has been for many years an industrious working cobblec in Hernals. Her betrothed is Count Stephen Gyulai.

Miss Kalazia is a really good-looking young woman, who is said by the neighbors to be as modest and amiable as she is pretty. She worked as a seamstress and out of her slender earnings contributed to the support of the family household, which included five younger brothers and sisters. What little spare money and leisure time she had were employed in visits to the theater and opera, and in reading.

When leaving the imperial court theater one evening nearly three years ago, she was accosted by an elegantly dressed young man who introduced himself as Count Stephen Gyulai. His manner was perfectly respectful, and he asked permission to call upon her father. Next day the count appeared in the shoemaker's small apartment, the first of many such visits.

Then, says the Kansas City Star, the count's visits became more frequent. He made the girl many and costly pres ents and bought her fashionable cos tumes, and took her to theaters, concerts and other amusements. Some of the count's aristocratic friends and acquaintances looked doubtfully at his fair companion, but the nobleman appeared supremely indifferent to their opinion. The remonstrances of his family had no more effect upon him, for he was deeply in love with the Hernals shoemaker's daughter and deter-

mined upon making her his wife. Elisabeth's father and sisters were entertained at the count's house in Vienna, and, contrary to the sort of thing in story books, were always treated with the utmost courtesy. The count came frequently to the shoemaker's quarters and his acquaintance proved very valuable to the latter from a business standpoint, for the shoemaker's affairs prospered visibly. A few days ago



ELISABETH KOLAZIA (Cebbler's Daughter Who Is Soon come a Countess.)

the count and Elisabeth made a short trip to the country, and upon their return the count announced their betrothal. Active preparations for the wedding have begun and the ceremony will take place very soon at the count's estate in Hungary.

Count Stephen Gyulai is 27 years old and belongs to the military order of German knights. His father, who died some years ago, was a great Hungarian nobleman, a knight of honor of the Sovereign Order of Malta. queathed to his son estates in Hungary at Saravola, Trubswetten, Dugoseilo Gyulai Mares, Murany and Nagy Barsany; a castle at Gorz near Trieste and another country place near Bosse in one of the lovellest parts of the Tyrol There are also other historic propertie in Lombardy, the domains of Assegiand Mestre, near Venice; Theviso Muestr and Chirignogo.

Following the European custom, the count wayes the management of his great inheritance to agents and spends most of his capital. He is exceedingly hunting, and is a remarkably good hunting, and is a remarkably good hunting, and is a remarkably good hunting. The Gyulai family is of ancient origin, trac ing its ancestry back to the fifteent century. Count Stephen's branch was ennobled in 1694, the then head of the line being given the title of baron is Austria. In 1701 he was raised to the dignity of a count of Transpirania.

Oldest Living Twin States.
The oldest twin sisters in the United States are Mrs. Emeline Perrin and Mrs. Eveline Tilton, both residents of New Hampton, Ia. They were born in 1811, and this year celebrated the ninety-second analysmary of their

Mahone, and made a brilliant canvass lina—where it is 65.7 per cent. And W. E. DuBois followed Mr. Washing-of the State, but again through Demo-yet the negro in New Nugland is four-ton in a short and concise statement to cratic election manipulations met de- and a half times more criminal, hun dred for hundred, than he is in the promised, apologized or equivocated on the supreme subjects of the suffrage, "In the South, Mississippi particu- the higher education and identical privileges and accommodations on common carriers and in places of public amusement and entertainment, he reserved the right to withdraw and advocate his views before the public, if he was the only man in the conference who would do so.

COL. M. M. PARKER,

Re-election.

It is learned that the questions sought to be asked Mr. Washington at the and is always willing to talk to Virginians, black or white.

Col. Campbell Slemp of Big Stone
Gap, was born in Lee County, Va., in
1839. Was a Democrat up to 1880. Was

Col. Campbell Slemp of Big Stone
Which the State is levying tribute upon the white people to main ain.

NOILL WILL TOWARD NEGRO.

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of the education for the negro ought United States attorneys for Massachu- Brown, Gen. Geo. H. Harris, and Mr. setts, but better known as "foot-ball John F. Coek. This committee is perto be changed. If, after years of earnest effort and the expenditure of fabuest effort and the expenditure of fabulous sums of mouey to educate his head, we have only succe-ded in mahing a criminal out of him and imperiling his nesfulness and efficiency as at laborer, wisdom would auggest that we make another experiment and see if we cannot improve him by educating his hand and his heart. There must be a moral substratum upon which to build, or you cannot make a desirable citizen."

The governor also declares that the people of the nation should rise up and demand the repeal of the Fifteenth amendment.

HON. MORGAN H. BEACH.

The United States District Attorney Morgan H. Beach in opening the government's case in the eelebrated Post office case, made one of the most consists and open statements that one would desire to hear. Just what the government is tend too hear to be a decided later on.

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The Say

Don't be false to any one. Be honest and act well t your friends.

Remember that "honesty is the best pelicy."

There are some peope who are rery jealous. Some people are false to every-

The Democratic Party is on the

/at-look for voters. Georgia republicans should be

careful how they throw. Two new Judges of the Police

court will be appointed. The white people in this coun try will be convinced that they can not select a leader for the negro

The democratic party is organ I sing.

Senator Gorman may secure the democratic nomination.

In union there is strength for that reason the white people want an apologist to lead the negrorace. The Afro-American cornei

thing of the past, There are to be no office hold ers members of the suffrage asso

Rev. S. L. Corrothers will make a strong president of the new suf frage association.

The sage (?) of Tuskegee will be weighed in the balauces and found wanting.

The most successful man in the United States is the one who can succeed.

The colored attney will organise some time in the near future

We do not know it all and it is well to take t'e advice of our

miends and who will treat you well,

The Business league that met at Nashville Tenn., was a good farce.

The Dolored American that was going to swallew the world of news programme, designed to extend over papers made its appearance last

It was a hard struggle for life and when it did appear there were ing all these hungry departmental many old faces put in to save an position.

A news paper with a circulation of ten thousand? ought to be able to withstand chronic dyspepsia. frage association.

entire country because you have a Htt'e money.

he knows it all.

The Byening Star thinks Booker

Washington is a great man. The Star would have a similar

opinion of other negro apologists. Our contemporary should attend to its own business and allow the negro to select his own leader.

The Bee is of the opinion that the negro race is being betrayed, him to Berlin as their representative Senator Hanna is not at all dis turbed It is too early to talk about the national chairmanship of any party.

Let us first select a president then let us talk about a chairman

The Bee is the Colored Ameri an of this city and the proper Rec ord of events.

It is no Afro-American but a si mon pure negro advocate.

It does not believe in the Plan te, this is a dark Age that needs aTorchg t that will Appeal to the reasons of the people.

This advice the Guardian need, keep it straight.

The only way toucceedstoru

Let us bave qualified suffrage. There is a division in the ranks of the republican party.

Negroes are easily deceived. There is a great deal for the ne roes to learn.

Why can't colored men unite? The most successfuleditor is the one who is able to command the

respect of the people. Have you read The Bee, if not.

do so at once. There are lots of frauds in this

Lookent for the man who claim -to be soliciting cash subscribers for

The merchants are warned to look out for a man who claims to represent Tae Bee,

BARON VON STENGEL

New Morman Chancellor of the Exchrquer Who Will Have to Solve Some Hard Problems.

Baron Hermann von Stengel, Emperor William's new chancellor of the exchequer, is confronted by one of the knottiest financial problems with which modern Germany has ever had to wrestle-how to meet increasing national expenditure with a correspondingly decreasing revenue. The solution of the question will involve a practical revolution in the system of government finance—new ments with the various independent states of the empire with reference to the pro rata contributions to the imperial treasury, new schemes of internal and external taxation, a possible reorganization of the national currency, and a score of other vexing proposi-



BARON VON STENGEL (Recently Appointed Chancellor of the German Exchequer.)

tions. To add to the new minister's woes, the great cash-eating departments of the kaiser's governmentthe army and navy-are clamoring ap-Think of those who are your pealingly for more money; the army wants more cavalry and artillery dirisions and a complete rearmament, costing \$25,000,000; the navy is feverishly anxious to cram into next five years the completion of Emperor William's great 38 battleship 13 years.

Baron von Thielmann, whom Emperor William relieved of the finance minister's portfolio in August, was found unequal to the task of satisfywolves, and Baron von Stengel, with a fine record of successful accomplishment as a state financier in Bavaria, has been summoned to Berlin to ac complish the Herculean task of making imperial ends meet. His friends assert that he will do so. In appoint-Look ont for the National suf ing him, the kaiser was compelled, owing to the exigencies requiring an experienced hand to depart from his Do not imagine that you are the newly established rule of calling only young men into the cabinet, for the new secretary of the treasury is 73 years old. He has, however, been an usually active public figure, and W. J. Bryan is a man whothinks during the bitter discussions preceding the passage of the new German tariff law, he was especially prominent in his capacity as Bavaria's rep resentative in the federal councilthe "upper house" of the German empire's parliamentary system. Stengel comes from old Rhineland-Westphalian stock, his ancestor having been made a member of the Prussian nobility by Frederick the Great. He has been a national character since 1884, when Bavaria and the grand duchy of Saxe-Meiningen jointly sent in the federal council.

SOME BOYS-

Take on absurd airs if a woman treats

Regard early rising as one of the great-est trials of life. Talk to girls in a manner that indi-

cates want of respect. Boast about what they do in a we that indicates fabrication. Assume the ways of their superior

without regard to conditions Rarely give their family the please of their presence in the evening.

Make so much noise that their a sence would be considered a favor. Operate on the theory that no one ela has rights Which they are compelled to

Go to their daily business place as bough they were the victims of a con-

w a sad lack of tast in dealing with who are above them in po

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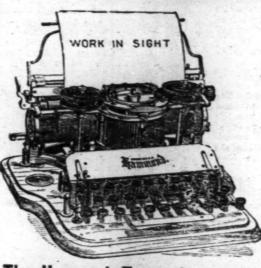
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Mrs. Badon-Ready and willing are

Softleigh-I say, doctah, do yo believe that liquor really affects men's brein? Physician-Yes, if he has any. Other

wise it affects his lega.—Gneint Lights.

se Rockefeller lives asording to his lighta."
"I don't know. Son lights have more to de GABRIEL WAS PROUD

Horse Pinds Life's Load Too Bis and Kills Himself.

Once Proud Roadster Loses Hear When Hitched to Dump Cart-Jumps in Fire and Stays There Until Life Is Extinct.

No one who reads this story will believe it, which is a pity, because the story is true, which also is a pity. Raphael Marzuli believes it. So do 24 of his co-laborers who toil in the First ward streets and at the lake front dump, in Chicago. So also does John McCarthy, deputy commissioner of The old man was put on a stool and streets in the Chicago city hall, and a one of the women got on the counter number of other city officials affirm it and began to cry the bargain. The Therefore it is a pity that this story will not be believed by those who read it. It is a bit cheering to think that Ernest Thompson Seton would be more credulous if he should chance to see it, and that Rudyard Kipling

Raphael is entitled to some credence. He is now in the hospital suffering from severe burns with which he would not be pained if the story were not true.

"Da foola da horse," says Raphael. "He do it a-purp. He maka da-da-

"The horse committed suicide, and I don't blame him," said Mr. McCarthy. Gabriel had been a dump cart horse in the First ward for some time, but he had not been born to this low estate; he had not always been Gabriel. The Italian laborers dubbed him thus after he came among them. Once he had been a handsome roadster, owned by Col. John S. Cooper, and had seen a great many far better days.

His virtues as a roadster disappearing with years, Gabriel found himself on the First ward street work, toiling with a little two-wheeled cart behind him and helping to make the city beautiful by hauling refuse to build up a park on the lake front.

He never had thought it would come to this. From a well groomed roadster to a dirt cart horse is a long, hard fall. The company and associations were not those to which he had been at \$2.39.



STOOD IN THE FIRE

accustomed. He could not even under-ing fox hunting in the village.

stand the dialect of the Italians. Then, says the Chicago Tribune, he several weeks ago, when a Bermudian Then, says the Chicago Tribune, he grew pensive in spirit and lost flesh. For some time his equine pride seemed stunned and his hope broken. He traveled from the downtown district, hauling street sweepings out to the lake front at Jackson boulevard. This, day after day, until Gabriel asked himages. The seemed are set in the result.

"What's the use?"

his driver, Raphael Marzuli, he of the time arrives for the weekly round-up burns. In the middle of the dump as many as 50 rats are usually in cap-there has been a fire of refuse burning tivity. for a week. The cart had been emptied and the dejected Gabriel was comheld by its owner or trainer. One rat

Then suddenly the thing happened Gabriel laid his ears back and showed his teeth. He kicked up his heels, and, before the astonished Raphael could stop him, he was tearing over the dump. As he neared the fire he swerved towards it and ran directly into it.

There he stood. The efforts of the frantic Raphael, seconded by 20 other astonished street laborers, could not move him.

Raphael received his burns trying t get the horse out before he was dead He failed. A verdict of suicide probably will be returned by the coroner's jury. It may be that Gabriel had looked over the water that he and other ward horses were expected to fill in with dirt and make into a park, and had begun to wonder how many cartloads would be required-a prob lem much worse than the "how old is Ann"-and this may have been too much for him.

Anyway, those were the facts as re ported to the Chicago street depart-

A Loaf-Making Experiment.

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tions took six and one-half minutes. One Bermudian man, who owns the Other. Then the wheat was taken to the mill champion rat-catching dog, declares he of J. H. Painton, and there ground and has won enough money to pay the bill dressed in five and one-half minutes. At for his winter coal.

the adjacent bakehouse the flour was, Sawdust Turned Into Fuel. made into dough and molded into cakes Sawdust is turned into transportable and loaves. Seven small loaves werefuel in Germany by a very simple taken from the oven at nine o'clock-process. It is heated under high steam 30 minutes from the time the wheat was pressure until the resinous ingredients standing uncut. One was sent to the become sticky, when it is pressed into me sticky, when it is pressed into

NEGRO SULD AT AUCTION.

and the Old Man Brought Just \$2.29.

The Woman's Christian Temperance union of Indianapolis, Ind., has been holding a rummage sale. One old col-

ored man entered. "I wish you'd sell me," he said to one of the women. "I'm tired tramping around the country, and I'll work for anybody the rest of my days for my victuals and clothes."

One of the women suggested that the old man be placed on a table with price marked on him, but after further talk with the negro to be certain that he was in earnest, it was decided to auction him off to the highest bidder first bid was 50 cents. The bidder explained the he simply wanted to give the auctioneer a start. The next bid was 75 cents, and quarter bids were received until the old man was valued at \$2. Then there was a lull in the bidding, but the crier persisted, and the bargain was finally knocked down



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to H. W. Shea, a commission merchant,

The negro eyed the commission man closely and announced that he believed he would like to live with him. He said he had had no home for years and he was tired of living from hand to mouth. Mr. Shea told the women that he would give his new purchase some light work around his commission house, and, if he proved to be trustworthy, the job would be permanent. He agreed to give the negro a suit of clothes and plenty to eat.

The old man shanked the women for having found a home for him and went away with his new master, seemingly quite satisfied.

NOVELTY IN SPORTS.

Rat-Chasing, the Latest Fad, Is Said to Surpass Fox-Hunting in Gennine Excitement.

Rat chasing is the new sport, to which men, young and old, living near Bermudian, Adams county, Pa., have recently become devoted. As a rura sport the innovation is fast outdistanc-

During the week traps are set in He made his last trip Saturday with rat-infested buildings, and when the



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Sarringe Got Lost with Baby Inside and General Excitement Was the Result.

"Where's the carriage with a baby it?" cried a woman, young, smartly owned and handsome, as she emerged rom a Twenty-third street toy store, New York, and looked anxiously up and down the street.

Shoppers hurrying by stopped. The carriage caller on duty in front of the shop asked: "What carriage? Whose baby?"

"My carriage and my baby in it," came the half sobbing reply. "Find them for me! Oh, what shall I do if baby is gone?"

"Where's the carriage with a baby in It?" roared the carriage man in a voice that echoed down the block. Then he was off on a run for the head of the line of carriages, startling the crowd by bel-"Where's the carriage with fowing: a baby in it?"

The cry was taken up by policemen.



"I WANT MY BABY!

Half a hundred men's voices swelled the chorus. The ordinary traffic of the street ceased. The distracted mother wrung her hands. "I want my baby," she kept repeating. "I only left it a moment to go inside and buy a present. Now it's gone."

There were dark whisperings of kidnapers. Every carriage that hove in wight was eyed with suspicion.

When the excitement was at its height a carriage threaded its way to the curb. There was a glad cry from the weeping woman, and opening the door herself she was inside with a bound. The next thing the crowd saw was a baby about two years old being smothered with kisses.

"Home, Thomas," came a voice from the carriage, and mother and baby were whirled away before anybody had a chance to find out who they were or how the carriage had come to get lost.

TRAGEDY IN ASYLUM.

mate's Head to the Floor to Give Him a Shave.

Ambrosio Samano Campa, a Mexican madman killed a fellow inmate of the San Hippolita insane asylum in the City of Mexico, the other day while profess-

Campa induced the other man to remove his straitjacket. When this was accomplished he asked his companion to don the garment, which he did without protest. Then, laying his victim on the floor, Campa proceeded to drive a large spike through his head into the floor. With a shoemaker's knife, which by some means he had contrived to secure, he tried to shave his victim, but finding the latter's position inconvenient, removed the spike and nailld the man's head to the floor in a different manner.

This operation he repeate i four times. The dead man was a brother of Manuel Marron, prosecuting a torney in the Belem criminal court, and a well



SPIKED HIM TO THE FLOOR.

known litterateur. When news of the tragedy was conveyed to the lawyer he was summing up the case in the trial of Jorge Lezama, who was finally sentenced to death for murder. As the attorney asked the terrible penalty for Lezama' tears were streaming down his cheeks. lum for nine years, was a powerful man. worship him by the throat and struck turing the skull. Two years ago in a fight with another inmate, who also Martin for timely aid. claimed to be God in Heaven, Campa secured a club and killed his opponent.

Coffins Made of Glass.

Hermetically sealed glass coffins ar asserted that a body buried in a glass

WINC SHOTS AT SEA.

Rovel Sport of Shooting Flying Fish -Need for a Retriever That Can Swim.

One morning the yacht Linda steamed out of the Bay of Avalon with two or three friends and myself sitting on the upper deck, about eight feet from the water, each armed with a shotgun, says writer in Outing. The Linda was eaded up the coast and was presently running at fair speed, and in a short time into the flying fishes, which rose at or near the bow and went skimming away in graceful lines. The first flyer went to the left, and was cleverly dropped by one of my companions, who killed another with his left barrel. The third fish fell to me. It rose 20 feet ahead with a vigorous trembling of the body, produced by the screw-like motion, and dashed away three feet above the surface. As it swerved to the right I fired, dropping it; as it fell the splash startled change, chiefly in steel. another fish from the water, which came straight toward the boat, rising slightly ceeded Admiral Tsubol in command of on the stiff wind. I did not fire, as the the standing Japanese squadron, the fish was too near, and it passed over the force which would probably be engaged boat into the preserves of my companion, who dropped it when 50 feet away.

water with little or no splash, often apparently sailing along a foot above the surface, which it so resembled that it was as difficult to drop them as it would be the woodcock darting over cover that it perfectly resembled. There was one retriever. Many of the fish sank before 17 years, but never during all that the small boat could be cast off to secure them.

TATTOOED WOMEN.

Famous Pictures, Crests, Automo biles, Phrases and Bad Jokes on Some Pair Integuments.

Alfred South, of Cockspur street, who may be described as the pioneer of the tattooing art, has during his career operated on upward of 15,000 persons, including about 900 English women, the designs in a great number of cases being of a most peculiar description, says the London Mail.

Perhaps the most striking of all are representations of two celebrated paintings, "The Crucifixion" and "Ecce Homo." One woman has depicted on her skin a picture representing a flight of birds. Portraits of husbands and lovers are popular with women, and there are several instances in which women have been tattooed with their husbands' regimental crest. Monograms, initials and family quarterings abound.

Languages, too, have their due share attention. Many women have written on their arms words belonging to variout tongues-Assyrian, Chinese, Arabic, Religious subjects are very popular, especially with Roman Catholics.

There are some instances where ladies have had the inscriptions on their wedding rings tattooed on their fingers beneath the ring. Etchings of bracelets in yellow encircle the arms of many. Mexican Madman Nailed Fellow In- Ladies who like to keep pace with the times may be adorned with illustrations of motor cars.

Another device is that of a figure of Cupid disappearing into the recesses of a relation to another by the act or cona pewter pot, having cast aside his bow sent of such other, or of a third person. and quiver. This picture, which has or of the law, that he becomes interested been tattooed on the arm of one woman for him, or with him, in any subject of

NEGRO DIALECTS.

More Than Fifty Varieties Spoken by Colored Folks in Different Parts of the South,

A patron of cakewalks or an admirer of cakewalk music might be justified in not thinking so, but the fact is that there are more than 50 separate dialects among the colored population of the south, says the New York Sun.

Anyone who has travelled through the tidewater counties of Virginia is aware that the speech of the negro population there differs materially from that used in the cotton fields of Alabama. The singsong speech of the camp meeting negro from the hilly part of northern Georgia differs essentially from the softer and more melodious speech of the Louisiana negroes from the region of

canebrakes and rice fields. The negro race in the south is essentially imitative, and in Louisiana, where the reminders of French occupa tion are many, the French accent and intonation are preserved. In South Carolina, which has, relatively, the largest negro population, there are found in the tidewater counties the Guinea negroes whose dialect is has been found difficult for many visitors to un-

derstand. In southern and southwestern Missouri the negro dialect differs entirely from what it is elsewhere in the south and in the Indian Territory, where there is a considerable negro population, many Indian phrases and Indian methods of speech have become incorporated in the speech of the colored population.

Curious Philanthropy

James Reilly, one of New York's little known millionaires, has a curious fad-that of providing for the decent burial of the indigent dead. He is in constant communication with a num ber of undertakers, who keep him posted regarding such cases as he wishes Samano Campa, who had been in the asy- to look after. Another rich New Yorker, Samuel Martin, spends a good deal He believed himself to be God on earth. of time and money in helping impor-Once he grasped a man who refused to tant victims of the police force. He is always camping on some officer's his victim's head against the wall, fac- trail, and many a victim of police tyranny has had reason to thank Samuel

Size of Panama.

Panama is not nearly so small as it looks on the map. The Carribean coast coming in vogue in French cities. It is line is 450 miles long, and the bay of Panama is 110 miles long and 122 miles come becomes mummified in about 30 across at its mouth. The entire republic is twice the size of Switzerland.

MEN OF TO-DAY.

William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., is to become a clerk in the office of the first vice president of the New York Central road. His desk will be near that of his father and near that of Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, in what is called "the millionaires division" of the offices in New York.

W. A. Powers, recently a candidate for delegate to the legislature of Virginia, in reporting his campaign expenses to the secretary of state, places his total outlay at 45 cents, 15 cents of which sum was expended for a dinner for himself and double that sum for a meal for his

John Quern, for 20 years a waiter in Delmonico's, New York, left that establishment four years ago, having made \$100,000 in stocks. Last week he returned to his former occupation, and is now whisking a napkin as of yore, having lost everything on the stock ex-

Vice Admiral Togo, who has just sucfirst in case of war, is one of the popular heroes of Japan. He is a young officer. There was something essentially novel as flag officers go, in the prime of life, in this sport. The fish appeared as and has had a taste of what modern warthough by magic, shooting out of the fare under present conditions means. In 1894, when the Japanese "wiped out" the Chinese fleet, Admiral Togo-he was only a captain then-struck the first blow.

Alanson Penny, captain of the lifesaving crew at Shinnecock, L. I., has ential lacking in this novel sport-a been in the coast guard service for time has he been able to spend Christmas with his wife and children. His station is about three miles from the mainland, across Shinnecock bay, and and on his days off at Christmas for 17 years the intervening water has always been impassable because of broken ice or sea too heavy for anything but a larger boat than is available.

COURT RULINGS.

A subscription contract to pay money for the cost of a railroad in consideration of its equipment and the running of trains on or before a specified date is held, in Garrison versus Cooke (Tex.), 61 L. R. A. 342, not to be enforceable if the road is not completed by the time specified, since time is of the essence of the contract.

An appropriation of public money by the legislature to redeem warrants issued under an invalid law providing for the treatment of inebriates at public expense which are in the hands of innocent purchasers, is held in state ex-rel. Garrett versus Froehlich (Wis.), 61 L. R. A. 845, to be unauthorized, as being for a private and not for a public purpose.

One who pays a brakeman on a passenger train a sum of money to be carried to a certain point and is told to ride upon the platform of the baggage car and get off the train at all stops and keep out of sight, and who follows such instructions, is held, in Mendenhall versus Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad company (Kan.), 61 L. R. A. 120, not to be a passenger.

Wherever one person is placed in such nly, is entitled "Love Gone to Pot." property or business, he is held, in Trice R. A. 176, to be in such a fiduciary relation with him that he is prohibited from acquiring rights in that subject antagonistic to the person with whose interests he has become associated.

TOWN TOPICS.

The export trade in Galveston for the fiscal year showed an increase of \$3,000,-300. Public and private improvements recently completed and under way will aggregate in cost \$5,158,000.

Mayor John E. Andrus, the recently elected chief magistrate of Yonkers, N. Y., will preside over the youngest body of aldermen in the country. The average is less than 28, the youngest being just 21 and the oldest a trifle over 40.

Ex-Lieut. Gov. Jones, of New York, who, during the past few years has been losing his sight, until he is almost totally blind, offers to help any pupils in the public schools of Binghamton whose eyes are affected and who need the atention of an oculist.

Judges Rechtel and Shay, of Potts ville. Pa., have become tired of the unique-in some cases even absurdkill county court. With a view of preventing further miscarriages of justice, they have joined with the jury commissioners in selecting names to be put in the wheel for next year. Two thousand citizens are selected for jury duty, and the judges picked out nearly 700 names, selecting only those who in their best judgment are likely to see that exact justice is done in all cases.

UNDER THE KAISER'S RULE.

The wages of skilled labor advanced in Germany last year, but not in proportion to the increased cost of living.

The peasants and the poor of Germany in general express a great dislike of fish. This is due to the fact that fresh fish is so expensive there that only the well to do can afford to buy it.

Prof. Carl E. Meyers, of Frankfort, who has had charge of many balloon experiments for the war department, has een requested to take charge of and supervise the department of airship exhibits at the St. Louis fair.

In its annual report the Hamburg chamber of commerce deprecates any restrictive measures against the extension or the activity of commercial ombines—the so-called trusts or syndicates. The chamber believes that any abuses attending the activity of trusts can be corrected by legislation.

ALL THE WORLD.

Maid, do you recall the place Where the tortured waters rac tortured waters race Downward, downward, to the sea In an effort to be free? aring from huge stone to sione, ambling in a monotone In some hollow where, distressed, They have sought a moment's res

Maid, do you recall where you Sat and watched the varied hue Of the waters and the skies? Did you know that in your eyes Shone each tint of sky and stream? Ev'ry evanescent gleam Of the wild uncanny glen ne from out your eyes again.

ney were there, the sky's own blue, Little flecks of sunshine, too;
Ev'ry deep and grumbling pool,
Umber-shaded nooks and cool,
Silver-banded swaying birch,
And the thrushes bending perch;
All were there; each vale and steep,
All the torrents rush and leap!

They were there-I know they wereslope of pine and fir Ev'ry foam-white waterfall,
For I saw them, saw them all!
And I never looked away
From your dancing eyes that day!
All the world, my world, dear, lies
In the deeps of your blue eyes!

—J. M. Lewis, in Houston Post.

Sir Humphrey Potter's First Love. * OND WOOD ON THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY OF

BY HAROLD OHLSON.

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M ANY people considered that the time had come when Sir Humphrey Potter, with his wealth and his title, should take a wife. Some of these had daughters. They were only anxious for the dear girls' happiness. No one, however, cared to speak to him on such subjects as love and marriage. He would have thought them

He was never frivolous. It was only possible to interest him in serious matters; business transactions for preference; politics, on which he had decided views, in his lighter moods. It was difficult to conceive of him as a lover. His tall, portly form seemed always to require about it the red mahogany and shining leather of his office. Laughter, always together." while in conversation with Sir Humphrey, seemed out of place. It was, said an irreverent person, as the

crackling of thorns under a Potter. Mrs. Latimer had described him as "portentous." She owned that the exact meaning of the word had escaped her for the moment, but she had an inner consciousness that it contained an exact description, and she was not to be moved by any dictionary person.

He was a self-made man. 'That was evident. No one else would have troubled to make him. However, he stated the fact constantly.

He was enormously rich, and had obtained a knighthood by judicious philanthropy. He did not pay large sal-aries to his clerks, but when a fund was started at the Mansion house he pressed nobly to the front Pressing nobly to the front-people can see you when you are there-had made him what he was-Sir Humphrey Potter.

Young ladies have been wont to call him, in the course of private conversation, "a fat pompous beast." The of private conversation does versus Comstock (C. C. A., 8th C.), 61 L. not always run smoothly. Now he was "dear Sir Humphrey."

He was on the market. He had wealth and title, although the goods were a little shop-soiled.

It was on a beautiful, warm morning in July that Sir Humphrey cautiously lifted one lath of his bedroom blind and peered out. He was not anxious to be seen. He was a man of great dignity of presence (his tailor, to whom he paid cash, had often told him so), but he felt he did not look his best at that particular time. His hair fell in a fringe over his foreheadwhich did not suit him-and his face shone with the perspiration engendered by a hot July night. It also required the refining touch of a razor. The fat, frowsy man in the long white shirt (he clung to the old fashions), with big, bare feet and rumpled hair, was as ridiculous and unpleasant to the eye as Sir Humphrey Potter, an hour a policeman or shot by the man they

later, would be dignified and imposing. It was not for the purpose of observing the beauties of nature that he thus just clear of the tree tops, Clarissa delayed his toilet, but rather that he walked down to the river to meet her might watch Miss Latimer, the daughter of his old friend and present host, of that young lady she did so. and her cousin Clarissa, who were verdicts returned by juries in the Schuyl-! walking in the garden. They were en- light row, but pa must think you're joying the fresh morning air; Clarissa, with me. He don't mind my being Latimer chiefly for the sake of her gether, and don't let pa see you alone." for the songs of the birds; she pre- dinner contentment, Clarissa wandered ferred music from the comic operas. in the rose garden and dreamed of the And as for the delicate scents of the lover that was to come. waking flowers-. She had been She did not dream of the lover that known to purchase patchouli.

Miss Latimer's whole attention was Sir Humphrey finished his cigar and great purpose was to obtain a hus- he hoped Clarissa would the better, but the only indispensable delicate for the night air. adjunct was wealth. She was little, It was a maxim of Sir Humphrey's talked with her (she would giggle at Clarissa. remarks that should have been rewith her.

necessary consequence. There are fashion of a past generation, showed many noble, stately women in the the lines of her graceful figure. world named Florence, but it would seem an insult to address them as the ancient carved-oak furniture he "Flo." However, the name suited Miss had bought in Tottenham Court road. Latimer to perfection.

A tall, slender girl, bearing herself very big and imposing in his evening with a natural grace and dignity that cothes. A large diamond sparkled in

herself in as she might, could never imitate.

Miss Latimer's young-men friends (she called them "the boys") thought her cousin Clarissa stuck up. They told each other so. But a smile from her would have brought any one of them to her feet. To be favored of one whom all the others consider stuck up and standoffish appeals strongly to masculine vanity. Besides, she really beautiful, and as nice as a girl who loves to be a lady is to a man who loves to be a gentleman. But she could not be considered "good fun."

When the two girls disappeared along the path that led down to the river, Sir Humphrey dropped the lath of the blind and proceeded to build up his dignity of presence.

He had made up his mind. He would marry Clarissa.

The preceding years of his life had been devoted to his business, and he had scarcely ventured into feminine society. But now he felt entitled to show some relaxation of his efforts, and had decided that he must bring a wife to the palatial home he had built in a London suburb, and that she must be beautiful, just as he had beautiful furniture to adorn it. He did not anticipate any difficulty. He could pay the bill.

It was a curious coincidence—that is to say, it may have been a coincidence -that Mr. Latimer said to him, as they smoked a cigar together after breakfast that morning:

"You ought to marry, Potter." "Well, I can't say I haven't thought of it," answered Sir Humphrey. feel at times I want something to cheer me up-to take my thoughts off the work when I'm at home."

He spoke as if he intended to buy a banjo.

"You want to find the right girl. and then you'll never regret it. And you won't make a mistake-that ain't your way, we all know, Potter.' Sir Humphrey had money in Mr.

Latimer's business. "You can hardly realize," continued Mr. Latimer, "the rest and pleasure a tired man can find in woman's talk,

if it's lively and chatty." Here Mr. Latimer artistically lost himself in reverie, emerging presently with a sigh

"How I shall miss my daughter Flo when she gets married! So bright and jolly-such a capital companion! We're

The feeling of a doting parent had carried him away. He was not always with his daughter. She saw to that. "It needs consideration, Latimer," said Sir Humphrey, and then, a little abruptly, turned the conversation to

other topics. But by lunch-time Mr. Latimer had calculated to a nicety the minimum cost of the transfer of his daughter Flo to Sir Humphrey Potter. He would, he decided, strongly advise a quiet wedding (had not Flo's aunt died within the year?) but he had strong misgivings that that young lady would like the thing done in style. She would be sure that dear auntie would not wish any difference to be

made. In the afternoon Sir Humphrey sat with Miss Latimer on the lawn, until she suggested the summer house by liver as being the coolest, darlingest place, and providing awful fun watching the people in the boats.

"They're all in love with each other. and so funny to watch! Do come. dear Sir Humphrey!"

Clarissa had been sent to the shops to match wool for Mrs. Latimer. Mr. Latimer had thought the walk would do her good.

The thermometer registered 80 degrees in the shade.

Sir Humphrey passed the time pleasantly by instructing his companion in the method of making money on the stock exchange. She understood everything, so wonderfully did he explain things.

She said so. He had endeavored to enlarge Clarissa's mind on the same subject on the day previous. She had not understood him. Sir Humphrey had no doubt of that.

She had made a foolish remark to the effect that she preferred the methods of burglars. They, at least, took their chance of getting caught by were robbing.

In the evening, when the moon was cousin. It was at the urgent request

"I've promised Gus to go for a moonfor the sake of the thousand delicate late, then," she had said, as they left scents that mingled with it and the the dinner table. "Be sure you're there sweet, glad song of the birds; Miss at nine, so that we can come in tocomplexion. She did not care much. So while pa sipped his port in after

was coming.

at that period of her existence en- then went out into the garden. Mr. grossed by her numerous love affairs. Latimer said to the sharer of his joys Her talk was of young men. Her and sorrows-but not his port-that band; if young and handsome, so much sense to come in. Her health was too

plump and pretty, with beautiful eyes that, when your mind was made up to that she could use effectively on very a certain course, it was best to act young men. These walked with her, promptly. He went in search of He came behind her as she stood on

ceived with a cold silence), and flirted the bank of the silver river, lost in sith her.

She was called "Flo." It seemed a ing gown, made in the quaint, beautiful

He was standing at her side before

his shirt front. Was this the lover of her dreams?

When he had business in hand, it was not Sir Humphrey's custom to beat about the bush. After remarking on the beauty of the evening-so much was customary even in strictly business conversation-he asked her if she would be his wife.

For a moment she did not reply. Sir Humphrey recognized the fact that she was very beautiful and that loveliness and the moonlight threw him a little off his balance. He felt he wanted to take her in his arms and kiss her. The matter was getting beyond the strict regime of business

He had never wanted to kiss any one before.

It could, of course, be only a matter of minutes-a little maiden hesitation-before he had the right to do so. Minutes? Clarissa was speaking-"Do you know my father, Sir Hum-

"No, I have not that pleasure." He anticipated no trouble in that quarter. Was he not Sir Humphrey Potter?

phrey?

"I think you will not-cannot-re new this proposal when I tell you that -that-"Yes?" urged Sir Humphrey

Clarissa paused. "He is in prison," she said, in a voice scarcely audible, and turning herself away from him.

"In prison?" gasped Sir Humphrey. There was silence. A faint breat stirred the rushes and died away again. A wakeful corncrake creaked once and then subsided, as if he were alarmed by the noise he made in that grea

Sir Humphrey was thinking. He could not decide on the instant what he should do. But the moonlight still exercised its power over him. He still wanted to kiss her.

Latimer should have told him; it was monstrous to have introduced him to this girl without a word as to her father's disgrace. "She was," he supposed, living on the charity of the Latimers. There would be a taint of crime in her blood, and perhaps if he married her it would appear in her children. The thought was horrible. But he wanted Clarissa.

When, at last, he fell asleep, he had almost made up his mind to marry her. But when he awoke in the morning he found his love much less obtrusive and his business instincts predominant. Sentiment had faded with the moonlight.

He wondered how he could have hesitated. Such a marriage was impossible. "I am very distressed, very distressed indeed, to learn you are in such an unfortunate position," he said, when the opportunity came; "but you must see, of course, that under the circumstances I cannot repeat the offer that I made yesterday evening, an offer that I should not have—that is to say, had I been informed, as I should have been, of the circumstances, I should not have-er-put us both in

this painful position." Sir Humphrey spoke at civic ban-

"I hope you will let-er-bygones be bygones, and remember me as a

friend." Clarissa heard his speech to the end in silence. She had expected it. Now it was her turn. She had long ago realized the perfect self-conceit of the man. He had thought that she was should he change to open them. She had decided that to be tricked and deceived by a girl would be an invaluable lesson to him.

She was only acting for his good. She raised her eyes and looked at

him steadily. Then she told him that her father was indeed in a prison. He had been there nearly all his life. It was one of the largest and most important prisons in England.

He was the governor of it.-London Sketch.

No Sinecure.

Two subway laborers were sitting on a doorstep after their luncheon and looking out on the life of a fashionable thoroughfare.

"Do you know, Bill," said Pat, "If I wor worth \$14,000,000 I'd hire you and pay you \$60 a week. "Sure," replied Bill, 'and what would, ye want me to do?"

house and you'd come around in the morning at six o'clock and wake me "That's easy enough," Bill answered;

"Well, you see, I'd buy a \$2,000,000

but after a moment he said: "And is that all the job?" "Now ye'er getting down to the fine point. You see, when you woke me up at six o'clock I'd kick you down the stairs and holler after you, 'Git out er here! I don't have to git up! I'm a

millionaire!"" Before Bill could accept the position the whistle blew.-N. Y. Post.

Misquoted Quotations.

Everybody knows the phrase, "All the world loves a lover." But very few people know that Emerson said it, and that he said it in a slightly different way-"All mankind love a lover." Six people who were tried with this quotation said it came from Shakespeare. Another case of popular misquo was pointed out not long ago by Mr. Ainsworth R. Spofford in a paper on "The Folk Lore of Popular Sayings." He reminded his audience that the phrase, "In time of peace prepare for war," is usually attributed to George Washington. What Washington said was: "To be prepared for war is one of the most effectual means of preserving peace." But ages before Washington came first in war and peace, Horace had said, "In peace, as a wise man, he should make suitable preparation for war;" and one of the maxims of Publius Syrus may be translated: "We should provide in peace what we need in war."—Youth's Companion.

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WILL IT BE ONESIDED ?

The Bee took occasion to ask last week whether the paper of Mr. Booker T. Washington is to be disenseed after he has read it before South the Bethel Literary: Up to the present time, no information has been received from the president of the organization to that effect. It is very important that the people should know and it is hoped that Mr. George W. Jackson, for whom The Bee has the most profound respect and one among the sensible presidents that has had charge of the Bethel Literary. If it is not the intention of the president to permit a discussion of Mr. Washing ton's views, will he please make it known. Certainly Mr. Washington would not object to his views being discussed and certein questions asked him, if they be respectable. As an educator The Bee has the most profound respect for him, that Mississippi has been disgraced but as a politician The Bee is com pelled to take issue with him on certain questions and if he would come The Bee's way of thinking on the negre question, he would have its support. It will take him some time to correct the wrong that he has done the negro, but still, "while entire community. the lamp holds out to burn the vilest sinner may return,"

nd whiskey and after the feast ofs pleased with Prot. Washington

The old sinner DuBo's befiesh became soothed at this love Gould. feast The dazzling gold of the mill ienairs was in evidence at this se cret conference. The negro educa ters, politicians, poets and money sharks, who attended this secret conference left with the imprint of Washington in their throats and stomachs There were many who didn't attend, but those who accept ed his invitation and who previous ly denounced him, with but one ex ception, Edward H. Morris, of Chi eago, are new singing Washington's praises

If you want to catch the negro just show him the long greens, good whiskey, and fill-his stomach with chicken, turkey, etc. You will hear no more from the big negro on Washington. They have all joined the bread and butter brigade. Now Mr. Jackson, will it be onesided?

HAS HE SINNED?

The Editor of this paper has been charged with having opposed be President, because of his south. ern pelicy and for that reason, the tion Committee. If this is a free ted. republic and if the constitution of the United States means anything, then the Editor has committed no Clense. The Editor of The Bee has and has had his opinion concern ing the President's southern policy and he has had his choice of men suitable for the presidency, just, the same as other republicans. The President has his opinion concern ing men, because he has his opinion must be be impeached before the Bryan's choice.

expiration of his term of office?

The Editor of The Bee has made every effort and to some extent he has succeeded in taking local re publican politics out of the hands of the political ignorant ward heal ers, and assisted in placing on the National Committee a polished gen tleman and a man of influence and property. A man who has never failed to do his duty when the na tional republican committee has called for funds. If the party leaders are anxious to have the striker and ward healer to return to power and again disgrate republican politics in this city, the Editor of The Bee then has no apologies to offer or favors to ask, He never was a coward and never expects to be. If not want to set an example for pu 20 rity in politics and allow a man to express his opinion without being threatened with decapitation the seat of this great government should not m ke faces at those who have disfranchised the Negro in the

VARDAMAN.

This democratic governor from the state of Mississippi, is a liar pure and simple, when he asserts that the educated negroes or any other class of negroes are becoming more criminal. If he would take the time to read he would be convinced that the educated negro has too much to attend to without seek ing social equality. There are certain South Carolina negroes and perhaps a few in Mississippi who have been made white by amalgamation, who are no doubt quite anxious to be regarded white and would readily associate with the darghter of the Governor of Missis sippi. This is not the first time by the election of such an animal to the position of governor.

JUDGE GOULD'S WIFE

The wife of Just'ce Ashby M Gould died last week which was a severe shock to his friends and the

Mrs. M G. Gould was a woman of extraordinary attainments, who Prof. Washington knew how to was earefully and metherly rearing reach his enemies. He prepared a a family that was the pride and life feast, which is said was fit for the to her distinguished husband. The "Geds" He tickled their stomachs death of Mrs Gonla takes from and wet their palates with wine once a happy household one whose and preparations are now being made see can never again be filled. She to convince the court of his was over every negro lass highly leaves behind five small children. who must brave this world with the or mpanionship of a father whose come jubilant with the treat love for his offspring will forever ment he received. The old, hard cause him to fill the place of a lov sinners who have been using dagger, ing mother and a notable wife. We pepper and salt on Washington's extend our sympathy to Justice

STAR CHAMBER CONFERENCE.

As to the "Star Chamber" eonfer ence held in New York, The Bee warms the people that men seek darkness because their deeds are dark Any explanations, recantations or professions of loyalty to the fundamental principles made behind closed doers mu & be taken with allewance If Booker Washington has embraced the belief in absolute civil and political equality we are willing to work with him. but not fer him, to march beside him, but not behind him. In other words he is impessible as a leader.

The titles conferred on Booker Washington by Hon, Edward H. Morris in his recent address before the Beshel Literary are becoming very generally popular. "King of Mental Vagrants' and "Black Dowie" stand a fair chance to take the place of "Wizard" and "Mo-

The commissioners have put a Editor's political enemies have veto on the "flim flam" leader. He asked his remeval from the Elec must look wise and the editor elec

> The followers of Booker Washingten had better study his book before they attempt to defend him.

> Aunty Ruben appeared in the Post this week rgain, For once auntie is happy.

The District democrats will unite en Hearst;

The democrats will nominate

WILL BAVE NEW TRIAL

grace, to Be Retried by Civilian Tribunal.

Capt. Dreyfus, accused of treason to France, degraded, dismissed from the French army and exiled to prison on Devil's Island, will have another trial this time by a civilian tribunal.

As the result of an examination of all the evidence submitted to two courts-martial, which have already passed on the question of Dreyfes' guilt, as well as on the petition of Dreyfus for a new trial, and the additional facts brought to light by Gen. Andre, minister of war, the commission on revision representing the court of cassation reached a decision in favor of the revision of the case by the criminal branch of the court of cassation. The court will assemble next month, and Dreyfus will then have full opportunity to make a complete exposition of the wrong he is said to have suffered. The former captain, as a result of this new trial, expects to obtain vindication, followed by restoration to his former rank in the

The criminal branch of the court of cassation is composed of 16 members,



CAPT. ALFRED DREYFUS

presided over by M. Loew, who has participated in many of the most prominent trials of recent years. Many people are in doubt as to whether this court can definitely decide the question of Drevfus' restoration to the army. some authorities holding that under the law the rehabilitation of officers must be determined by the council of war. A prominent official, however, said that he expected the decision of the court would be accepted as final.

Dreyfus did not desire that his new trial should be conducted by a civil tribunal, as he was anxious to go before a court-martial. M. Mornard, the Parisian lawyer who rep resented Dreyfus before the court of cassation, refused to be interviewed, but a friend, speaking for him, said that Dreyfus had asked to be judged by his peers, and that he had not anged his views. His counsel will again demand a military judgment of the case. At the home of former Capt. Dreyfus the decision was expected.

COUNT DE LAMSDORFF.

Russin's Minister for Foreign Affair Is Said to Be a Consistent Advocate of Peace.

In view of the expected hostilities be tween Russia and Japan, Foreign Minister Lamsdorff, of Russia, is just now especially prominent as representing officially that element of the Russian empire, of which the czar is an adherent, which is notoriously opposed to war. Count Lamsdorff succeeded to his portfolio in January, three years ago, following the sudden death of Count Muravieff. He was well known as one of the most efficacious men in the foreign office, and Count Muravieff's first assistant, and naturally the czar turned to him as the latter's successor. He has-



COUNT LAMSDORFF. (Russia's Peace-Loving Minister of For-

elgn Affairs.) never lost faith in his judgment, and today is a firm believer that the good of Russia depends rather on the peace views of the foreign minister than upon Viceroy Alexieff, who heads the war

party. Count Lamsdorff entered the Russian foreign office at an early age and rose rapidly. He was first attached to the emperor's cabinet, then appointed secretary to the foreign office, and finally councillor. When he became minister one of the his first reforms was to break the system of shrouding everything in the cabinet under the veil of mystery. Since that time, by means of the official messenger, he keeps the public informed about all matters of interest pertaining to the foreign office, which, for Russia, is considered a great innovation. If Count Lamsdorff can prevent thews and sinews appealed to the it there will be no war between Russia and Japan.

A SONG OF THE WAY.

The length'nin' of a di Night draweth nigh: n Are weary o' the way!

Are weary p' the way Where Winter weeps for The last, sweet rest, With flowers abreast— Ah! that's Life's holiday!

We've had our dreams in years gone han' then our bitter wakin'!
And sweet came song, the way along,
Whilst the poor heart was breakin'.

But, weary o' the way, Bong thrills ne more the May; The Bilence seems Te sing through dreams Of Life's last heliday!

We've had our tell, and our reward, A-journeying down the years; Ged gave us Love-all gifts above-And the sweet gift of tears.

But, weary o' the way, We greet the shadows gray, -F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution

THE SHERIFF'S OF DEPUTY. Jo

BY LUCY BAKER JEROME. CHOROLOGO CONTRO CONTRO

F it had not been for the gray eyes that looked you in the face from the big slouch hat you might have said that the sheriff's deputy was the proverbial square peg in the round hole. Every one in Putnaw Creek had wondered when Jack Farley, standing but ave feet two is his leathers, with a voice like a woman's, a countenance apparently hewn out of wood and known as the most modest and retiring man throughout four counties, had been appointed deputy to Sheriff Hart, a giant in stature and a genius at bluffing, who boasted that he was the terror of evil doers all over the state.

Since the deputy's election, now some three months cold, his duties had mainly consisted in interfering in a few cock fights, forbidden sport now, save in precincts out of reach of the law; in the keeping of an eye on the saloons along the river front, and in guiding convivial and belated wanderers gently toward the lock-up at the farther end of town. But this morning the town was astir. Big Pete, who made his home in the pine-covered mountains, descending only at long intervals to secure the needed supplies for his cleverly concealed cabin far up some mountain trail, was wantedand the sheriff had set out to secure

He had ridden into town the night before; had become involved in a hasty quarrel with a man whom he had never seen till that moment; had drawn his revolver and shot, once-twice-and a man stretched at horrible length lav prone in the dusk, while miles away heading toward the mountains that rose gray and grim against the sky line, rode pursuer and pursued with but a league between.

The sheriff returned the next day angry and excited. Farley rode mildly his rear. They had ridden 40 miles into the mountains only to be baffled by one of Big Pete's clever tricks. Cutting across a stream which in dry weather served as a ford, he had crossed it again half a mile farther up its bank, had discovered the hoofprints of a band of wild mustangs and. doubling on their tracks, had successfully eluded his pursuers, who, riding on in mad haste, were happily unconscious that Big Pete rode leisurely along in their rear. On the return way they had been met by an old mountaineer who explained the ruse to them so convincingly that the sheriff vowed to return for his quarry at daybreak.

The deputy lounging carelessly outside the store, listening in silence to the questions and comments of the various groups of men, might have seemed, to a casual observer, slightly bored, but the eyes under the slouch hat were unusually bright and keen, and not a word of the heating arguments that occurred was lost on him. He sat quietly on a dilapidated box, hastily upended for the convenience of his small stature, and appeared to be lazily chipping bits of wood from the corner of the log building. He leaned forward a little to look at the last speaker.

"What d'you say, Jim?" An old man with grizzled hair and beard turned slowly toward the dep-

"He's got some things cached on the nountain side. I seen him there one day. He was windin' round the place like a hawk."

"Where at?" asked Farley, indifferently.

The old man leaned eagerly forward. "Say! You know that big flat-top pine up beyond the fork of the Snow river canyon? It's by the big bald bluff 40 foot along the river bed."

"I wonder if Hart'll know about that place?" queried the deputy in his soft voice, rising as he spoke and casting a keen glance about.

The old man shot a contemptuou glance at him. "I guess the sheriff will get him all right," he commented laconically, tilting his chair on its hind legs that he might have an uninterrupted view of Farley's face, "Hart's pretty keen on the scent, and he ain't no slouch when his mind's made up. I reckon we'll hear something to-morrow. If Hart can't get him, nobody can.

To this last remark Putnaw Creek's population grunted an unqualified as-To these rough lumbermen muscle and brawn were winning cards, and the sheriff's six feet of perfect primal forces in them

But Farley took the implied disap-

proval good naturedly as he had taken everything in life so far, and only smiled gently as he slid from the cracker box, and nodding to the circle of men drifted slowly up the main street.

Out of eye range his expression changed. His face lit up with an inward glow.

"Maybe I've got my chance at last," he thought, grimly. "Hart won't get him. He's too cock-sure and Big Pete's too smart for him. It's my chance, I reckon." He slapped his leg and rubbed the place thoughtfully. Under this new impetus the loggers of Put naw Creek would hardly have known their deputy. "My first and last chance in life. I reckon," he repeated deliberately, "and-I'm going to take it."

Half way up the tree-shadowed street an idea jumped into his brain The possibilities that it held were fascinating to contemplate, and he remained half the night engaged in that task, but when the next morning sawned, with the sun a pale glimmer of fire on the eastern horizon, Farley had mysteriously disappeared.

The forested spurs of the mountains furnished excellent sport for the hunters of that region, and many tourist Englishmen from various parts of the surrounding country remained a day or two in the vicinity in the hope of bagging some locally famous game. So when Big Pete, sitting warily at his cabin door, a week after his night visit to town, heard the familiar crack of the shotgun, his grim brows relaxed, and he continued his work-the binding together with leather thongs the little wooden bed that he was carefully mending.

It was such a tiny bed that the Englishman who appeared just then, rounding the other side of the bis pine, stared in amazement. Tiny and daintily fashioned, its carefully planed surfaces glistening in the sun and its gilded knobs reflecting the glittering rays, it seemed an unreal object, and one likely to melt into thin air if approached too close. However the Englishman continued to stand some 20 feet away, and Big Pete, with lowered brows, uttered a swift, malevolent

"Hell! An Englishman!"

"Mornin'," returned the Englishman, crossly. "Do you know where I am, my good man? I rather fancy," he added in a vexed undersone, "that I've lost my way."

Big Pete shot a covert glance at the speaker. He was a little man with a general air of hopelessness and insufficiency about him that at any other time would have moved Pete to grim and silent mirth. As it was, he merely noted the empty game bag hanging from the stranger's shoulder, and drew his own deductions. Big Pete rose eisurely to his feet.

"Huntin'?" he briefly asked. The stranger nodded, dejectedly unslinging his empty bag.

"Devil's luck, and I've been camping in the mountains these ten days, too." Big Pete's look of relief was instantaneous. He resumed his seat on the rough bench and the stranger approaching, slid carelessly along the other end. He handled his gun awkwardly, and Big Pete, observing it, smiled grimly, as he drew some more deductions.

"Thar's game in these hills, ef you know whar to look fur it." he youchsafed, gruffly, as if fearful of an opening wedge.

The Englishman's eyes expressed polite attention-nothing more. They were peculiar eyes-gray, alert and steady. He kept them fastened on a near rock, and his shotgun lay carelessly across his knees. As he asked his next question, his right hand dropped lightly on the barrel.

The nearest town on a straight trail is Putnaw Creek, eh?" Big Pete's eyes leaped to the defensive again, but he answered the

question with apparent irreverence. "There's only one man in the hull damned outfit; that's Farley. He can ride faster, shoot straighter and manage a boat better than any one in the county-what in hell!'

For the muzzle of the Englishman's gun lying carelessly across his knees was pointing straight at his breast, and the Englishman's eyes, dark and cold, held a glint of steel. "I'm Farley," said the stranger,

softly. Big Pete swore a little more. end seemed unpleasantly near "Stand up!" ordered Farley, shortly.

"I've a boat this side the river. The way lies down that trail." Strive as he would, the deputy could

not keep the elation from his voice. He had succeeded where the others had failed. Luck had turned his way at last. The chance that he had waited and striven for-the chance that had been long in coming—the chance that was to show the people of his town what mapner of man lay hid under the discouraging outer crust of his personality, had come, and he had jumped at it with a will. His eyes never left the outlaw's face. In his triumph he spoke unconsciously loud. "By God! I'm not going to lose

Big Pete squared his shoulders defiantly. He ached to spring at the little man and throttle the life out of him, but the open throat of a shotgun is a potent argument in favor of the man at the other end and Pete lounged sullenly toward the hidden traff.

"Be you a-goin' away, pop?" The outlaw stopped with the suddenness of an animal. Farley's watchful eyes were on him, but he, too, was disconcerted by the unexpectedness of the childish voice and its appeal. In a trice Farley grasped the situation. The little girl who just then came flying across the line of vision was evi dently the owner of the tiny bed, and the look in the outlaw's eyes told the

Farley did not hesitate. He nodded

brusquely to Big Pete, and the opt. law construing this as Farley intended that he should, stooped and swung the child to his shoulder. Her large, serious eyes looked back uncomprehendingly at Farley, and the deputy, while knowing that Big Pete's capture was now doubly sure, felt a quiver of emotion run along his nerves.

It was a strange trio that stalked in grim, dumb silence down the mountain path. Big Pete's massive head and shoulders lifting above the surrounding crags at every rise in the unever ground, the child in his arms, with her brown curls tossed by the light, sweet mountain breeze, the oval brown of her small face already falling into lines of the repression habitual to those who live closely communing with the mountains, and Farley, stunted, active and ready, in the rear.

Big Pete plodded stolldly on. His mien was that of a captured lion, but with the child in his arms he no longer looked defant. With half an hour's steady marching, the fork of the Snow river canyon loomed before them, and the boat, yawl-rigged and with a single pair of oars resting idly on the thwarts, lay near the rocky shore.

"In with you!" said Farley, briefly, Big Pete placed the child carefully on the ground and was about to obey, when Farley spoke.

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"The little 'un, too," he meaningly mmanded.

Big Pete swore again.

"Put her between you and me," commanded Farley, furiously, noting Pete's reluctance at this last order, and guessing his scheme. "I can sail this boat with one hand, and manage a gur almighty well with the other. All you've got to do is to sit quiet. Any accident," he took a straight glance at the man in the bow, "will mean two livesmaybe three."

Big Pete, baffled and helpless, looked at the receding shore with sullen despair. If it were not for the childshe sat quietly in front, her dark eyes riveted on the sunlit water, which in her short mountain life she had never seen before. He gasped, as in fancy he saw the gray adobe walls of the prison. To exist for months within a dreary, whitewashed cell! To see the bright sunlight and feel the clear, fresh air once more-and then, swinging from the end of a short hempen rope! The horrible vision stung his brain to madness. And as for that fool he had shot-he had heard of him since a low, besotted wreck, but the law must take its way. And little Nance-what would become of her? She loved him-the only living thing that did! He gave an inarticulate growl. Nance looked round in wonder. and Farley's hand tightened on the trigger. The child was climbing over the seat to reach her father, when he motioned her back to her place. Big Pete, his eyes forcing Farley's, spoke:

"What's goin' to 'come o' the kid?" "She'll be looked after." said Farley, abruptly. There was something in his eyes that had not been there till now. He looked at the little brown, downcast head, and swiftly averted his gaze to the father, sitting in mental chains, lowering, baffled, hopeless, unwilling to save his own life for fear of endangering his child; equally unwilling to resign her without a struggle, and a gleam of something like pity shot over his mask-like features. Big Pete uttered another low, inarticulate growl They were nearing the shore. Farley, on the alert, saw the danger signal in the outlaw's eyes, and divined what must inevitably follow. With a sudden swift twist of the tiller he drove the boat's head far up the sandy beach, at the same instant running down the sail. The yawl ground in the swirling sand, and lay, a mere chaos of slatted sails and tangled cordage, while a mighty oath was hurled from under the weight of the canvas. Big Pete, heaving and struggling among the wreckage, and hearing no sound from Nance, put forth one superb effort of his immense strength-convulsive, despairing-but the twining mesh held him as in a vice. Then he saw the broad, keen knife gleaming like the silver scales of a fish among the cord-

There was a mighty, sparkling splash, and when Farley, who was busily engaged in extricating a badlyfrightened child from the mass of splintered timbers strewn along the shore, was able finally to look in that direction, only some little ripples on the surface told him that far down the river a man was swimming, with new courage born of hope and of remembrance that should never die.

"Yes," said Farley, laconically, some days later. "He was a pretty tough customer, but I most pulled the job through. I'd like to have brought him in, but as things was, I couldn't. He's got a quarry somewhere on that peak. He pointed to where the jagged spur stood clear and blue against the snow line. Little Nunce, at his knee, looked at him with comprehending intelligence and smiled.

"I'm going up there again some day," continued Farley, musingly, returning Nance's confidential smile. Under his breath he added:

deputy." - Overland "But not as Monthly.

A Chinese Fish Story.

The fish editor of the Courrier de Tientsin is going strongly at present. Gloat over this, oh, ye disciples of Munchausen, and cull a passing pointer, oh, ye followers in the footsteps of

"Some days ago an enormous fish, 35 feet long, was caught in the vicinity of Peitang, near Tangku. It was cut up and sold in the surrounding villages. The carcass of the fish was probably poisonous, as 300 inhabitants who had eaten of it are dead and many others are ill."

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failure, except in limited localities. They have studied the State-aid plan and observed the great advance made under it. Finally, they have been studying the question of National aid, combined with State and local aid, and they appear to have concluded that "It is the way for which they have long sought." "The Grange" in its national meeting at Rochester, last November, came out with the following strong and unequivocal declaration: and unequivocal declaration: "Whereas, The United States Government has expended vast amounts of money in the improvements of trans portation facilities by river and harbor

construction of railroads;

"Therefore Be it Resolved, That

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Mr. Henry Middleton is quite sick at

Mr. Edward Younger is quite sick at the National Grange favors the inauguration of a National policy for the improvement of the highways, and the appropriation by Congress of a liberal amount to establish a comprehensive

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Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lee have noved into their large new house 1203 the Brownlow Bill embody the essential features of such a policy.

Mrs. Brown, the mother of Mrs. Nellie Morgan, is quite sick at her home, 918 State, Po nona and Subordinate Gran-rith St., N. W. Miss Selina Smith, of 319 G street w., entertained a few of her friends mit ee of the National Grange to insu-

on last Monday evening. gurate and conduct an aggressive cam paign in securing Federal aid for im-Rev. Clair, of Asbury Church, sang at the Ministers' concert in Baltimore, Legislative Committee be authorized Md., last Thursday evening.

Miss Stella Langly, of Baltimore, Md. will visit the city shortly and observe the workings of the public schools.

Messis. Augustus Gray and Royal best."

These resolutions will set in motion a vast force that moves irresistably; for it must be remembered that the National Grange usually gets what it goes after, whether it is a State freight law, the creation of a National Department of Agriculture, or the passage of the workings of the public sense.

first meeting this week at the residence of Miss Mattie Moten, \$193 rd St. S. W. Misses M. Moten, president; V. Richards, Vice Pres dent; M. Lewis, Secrerry, and B. Parker, Treasurer.

On Sunday January 24th, 3:30 p. m. at the Second Baptist Lyceum, Lawyer Thomas L. Jones will present a theme of much interest. On Sunday January 31st, 3:30 p. m., Rev. R. S. Rives, D. D., will discuss the theme, "The Next Step." Miss Patton of Texas will render a pinness of Good singing at each Sist, 3:30 p. m., Rev. R. S. River, D. D., will discuss the theme, "The Next ganizations established in this city, but there have been mone to equal the der a piano solo. Good singing at each service.

There have been many musical organizations established in this city, but there have been none to equal the See To No Musical Club of which Mrs. A. V. Chase is directress. This club is WOMAN OF RARE TACT.

Wife of British Ambassador at Wash ington Has Shared Bushand's Official Triumphs.

If Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the new British ambassador to Washington is looked upon as the flower of the British public service, no less appreciative a title can be bestowed upon his wife, Lady Durand, who has just joined her husband at Washington. For, through-out Sir Mortimer's eventful career, Lady Durand has been at his side, carrying out with infinite tact and womanly kind-liness the many peculiar duties that often fall to the lot of a minister's wife in oriental countries.

Lady Durand is the daughter of Teignmouth Sandys, a well-known Englishman. It was in 1875, two years after Sir Mortimer had entered the Bengal civilservice, that Miss Ella Rebe Sandys became Lady Durand. She has one son a ligutenant in the Ninth lancers, who was wounded in the relief of Kimberley. during the Transvaal war, and one daughter, Josephine, aged 26.

appropriations, and has conated vast tracts of valuable land in aid of the Being the wife of a diplomat who has been in many places, and has had to straighten out many tangles, Lady Durand naturally has known times of



(Charming Wife of the British Ambassa

extreme anxiety. Her husband, going to Name THE BEE when you call. the eastern empire on the eve of a great crisis, soon won recognition, and was transferred to the political department, being appointed political secretary to Earl Roberts, who was then about to undertake the Cabul campaign. Successfully carrying through many delicate negotiations, on his return from Afghanistan Sir Mortimer was appoint-

Afghanistan Sir Mortimer was appointed under secretary of the Indian foreign office, five years later becoming foreign secretary.

He accompanied the marquis of Dufferin when he met the ameer of Afghanistan in 1875, and in the following year went with him to Mandalay, during the Burmese war. At the close of the Tibetan campaign he was deputed to conduct negotiations with the Chinese as to the frontier, which undertaking brought him the title of knight commander of the Star of India.

In the early autumn of 1893 Sir Mortimer Durand was called upon to go to Afghanistan to conduct a special mission to the Abdur Rahman, where affairs were in a most perilous state, and the

potentiary to the shah of Persia and consul general at Teheran. Three years ago Sir Mortimer left the Persian legation to go to Madrid, receiving at the time of the change, as a mark of approval, the grand cross of St. Michael and St. George.

It is the wife who has participated in such a career as this, who has rejoiced in the triumphs when the nights of anxiety were past, who is the new chatelaine at the British embassy in Washington, and if Americans are pleased to welcome her, no less delighted is Lady Durand to take up her residence in the United States.

LAWRENCE O. MURRAY.

Pirst Assistant Secretary of Department of Commerce and Labor Well Known in the West.

Lawrence O. Murray, of Chicago, who has been chosen assistant secretary of the department of commerce and labor at Washington, is at present secretary of the Central Trust Company of Illicago, prior to which time he had been lov- trust officer of the Central Trust Company of America at New York. This

will not be the first government office

LAWRENCE O. MURRAY. (New Assistant Secretary of Commerce

that Mr. Murray has held, for he has been private secretary to the assistant secretary of the treasury, and has been holding the latter position two years. Mr. Murray was born at Addison, N. Y., in 1864; was educated at Niagara uni-, versity and was admitted to the bar in New York city in 1893. He is a friend of Secretary Cortelyou.

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were in a most perilous state, and the following year he left India to become envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to the shah of Persia and contutionality of the State's election laws and the harsh treatment of his people by the South. He declared that the South would never be right unt 1 the compelling force of public sentiment

> The outlook is very bright for the success of the contest.

> > DR. J. E. SHEPARD.

Dr. J. E. Shepard, of Durham, N. C. was in the city this week on special business connected with the great work in which he is engaged. This young is a hard worker in religious work and will no doubt in the near future reach the zenith of his ambition. At the time Dr. She ard was comparer of deeds under Ex Recorder Cheatham, he madea record of which any young man should feel proud. The Bee will have more to say of him in the future.

RELICS OF BYGONE DAYS.

Methods Responsible for Deserted Homes and Villages in Parts of New Jersey.

In driving through certain portions of the townships of Washington and Bass river, says a Mount Holly (N. J.) dispatch to the Chicago Inter Ocean, one is struck by the number of deserted homes that line the main thoroughfare, through the pines. some circumstances small villages that were once prosperous communities, are uninhabited and rapidly falling to de-

In years gone by in the pine district there was considerable manufacturing going on, shipbuilding was an active industry, and the lumber trade occu pied a large share of attention. The manufacture of iron from bog ore was also carried on. Now this is all changed. New methods have been responsible for it. The old furnace at Martha, where large quantities of iron were made, is a heap of ruins.

Near Hampton Gate is a church in which the colored people used to worship, and it, too, shows the marks of "King" Lewis Armstrong, deceased, of Mount Holly, was wont to come in years gone by and stir the brethren to fresh deeds of spiritual

Another historic place is Washinglon tavern. Years ago it was a popular resort and favorite stopping place for teamsters carrying merchandise from the shore to Mount Holly. Teday the building is tottering, the

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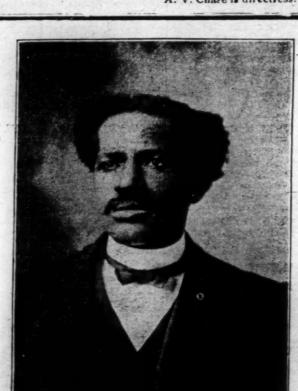
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REV. S. L. CORROTHERS.

Mrs. Ida Smallwood left the city on composed of young misses ranging here her daughter is quite ill.

Henrietta Vinton Davis, who

he revival services which are being iducted at the Metropolitan Baptist R street, between 12th and fator and Evangelist, Rev. Simon Drew, D. D, will continue until lary 21st. He will deliver the fol-At 10:30 a. m. "The Lamb of At 7:30 p. m. "I have put of my How can I put it on?" Other nons to be announced later.

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GALBRAITH CHURCH REVIVAL.

The Work of Rev. S. L. Correthers-Elghteen Converts,

The revival at Galbraith Church is the largest that has ever been held in that church. Already eighteen pergood work continues to go on under the pastorate of Rev. S. L. Corrothers, who has been a success at this church Since his pastorate he has already raised seventeen thousand thousand dollars on the debt of the church, the

The revival in progress will continue to February first and great crowds are being assembled in the church every night. Hundreds are turned away on account of lack of seating capacity.
The pastor is a great worker and it is expected that there will be fully two. hundred converts before the first of deputy comptroller of the currency, February.

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IF NOT PLEASE DO SO.

A Joplin (Mo.) bachelor regards woman as a very wayward, fickle creature and the Joplin News-Herald says that he seems to have some ground for his opinion. "That's the reason I never married," he confided, after having remarked about the fickleness of femininity. "Several years ago," he proclaimed, "I happened to be in another town engaged on a contract, and while there I ran across a young woman whom used to know working in a hotel. I and known her when she was but a girl, nd at that time her parents were well Fxed. She told me that her husband ad deserted her, leaving her to work c it for her living. I didn't like to see her there, and I arranged with a friend 63 give her a better position. Finally took such a liking to her that I pro-Lesed marriage, and she accepted me, agreeing to marry me as soon as she



TELLING HIS TALE OF WOE.

could get a divorce. She went to Springfield and proposed to get the divorce there. Every now and then she would send me marked copies of papers containing items regarding the progress of her case. All the time I was sending her money to support her there and aid her in getting the case through. Some time after I received a copy of a Springfield paper with the account of her divorce being granted. She asked for a little more money to get her wedding trousseau made. I sent her more money, and she wrote me how she was progressing with her trousseau."

Well, did she get it finished?" The bachelor paused to light his

"Yes, she did. I received another marked copy of a Springfield paper. This time it contained the notice of her marriage."

"Her marriage?" "Yes; the blankety blanked woman

had gone and married a conductor, and here she had worked me for the money to buy her wedding outfit and get her "That's the reason I'm still baching."

continued the Joplin man, with a sigh.

SHE PAID HER BET.

Omaha Girl Eats Ice Cream in Yard at Zero, Surrounded by a Host of Friends.

Because she lost in a wager made last summer. Miss Florence Parmalee, of Omaha, Neb., Christmas afternoon ate a pint of ice cream sitting in the front yard at her father's residence, while the thermometer registered just below zero. Friends to the number of a score or more gathered around to cheer her on, while passersby stopped to see the fun. Miss Parmalee is the daughter of Capt. Edward Parmalee, of the quartermaster's department, United States army. All the friends present when the



ATE A PINT OF ICE CREAM

ager was laid were invited to the banuet. Promptly at four o'clock the arty went into the yard, where a chair was placed where the sweep of the orth wind could be felt at its worst Then Miss Parmalee, wrapped in fure nd coats, took her seat and was handed a huge dish containing a brick of varieited ice cream, which she promptly occeeded to eat, while she shivered.

Obeyed Orders Literally.

A teacher in a western town, in seting a class in composition, gave this advice: "Do not attempt any lights of fancy; be yourselves and write what is in you." The following day a bright pupil handed in the fol-icwing: "We should not attempt any fittes of fancy, but rite what is in us. In me there is my stomach, lungs, gret heart, liver, two apples, one piece of marrimine pla, three sticks of candy, a hull lot of peanuts and my dinner."

CUPID ON THE PIERS.

Romances Found on the Docks of Steamship Lines.

with Bride to Whom He Had Been Married by Proxy-Pleasing Bridal Discovery.

Cupid must spend a large part of his time sitting on the pier where he can watch the coming and going of ocean liners entering and leaving New York. If the small gentleman of the wings and bow were a personal deity and circumscribed by the law which declares against a person being in more than one place at one time, that undoubtedly is the place he would elect as his home.

Take the scenes of one day along the docks as an illustration, and those scenes were not all. They were the ones that happened to be observed and known

The White Star line steamship Oceanic started it by arriving with four engaged ouples and 14 brides to be on board. The 14 young women came from abroad to marry men who had preceded them to make homes in this country. Their husbands to be were waiting for them on the deck. You may be sure that Cupid smiled broadly as he saw 14 different sets of greetings and beheld the four engaged young couples stalking happily away.

The Oceanic had been through rough weather, but Boreas was working against Cupid on that trip and the 14 brides to be and the four engaged couples came safely through.

Then, says the Chicago Tribune, at another dock another scene was being enacted. Since morning a young Cuban, Rafael Hidalgo, had been waiting in the cold and snow, watching for a steamer to appear. He had been married by proxy in Havana, November 19, his father acting as his representative in signing the wedding contract.

The eagerness of both the young man and the young woman defeated the object they had in view-a welcome the moment the dainty foot of the bride touched American soil. As the passengers began to come off the bridegroom mistook another young woman for his bride and dashed madly down the pier for her. Discovering his mistake he plunged through the crowd of disembarking passengers, but it was not until he had searched 20 minutes that he found her.

Then he discovered her in charge of a strapping member of the United States



RAFAEL MHETS HIS BRIDE.

army hospital corps. Private John Stremer, in whose care she had been placed on leaving Cuba. The two Cubans had not seen each

other for three years, but the recognition was instantaneous. Private Stremer stood at "attention" with a pleased smile on his face while the two exhausted the vocabularly of endearments.

The bride was hysterial at first. The crowds, the unaccustomed cold, and the language she could not understand frightened her and she hid her face in her husband's coat and sobbed. He held her while sympathetic women passengers tried to soothe her and after a while the little fear passed away and she was smiling with confidence again.

She had been married to Rafael, his father acting as proxy, because the young man himself could not leave his employment at the Rogers Locomotive works in Paterson, where he is studying to become an engineer.

At another dock there was an outgo ing steamer which carried two happy, passengers with a story worth repeating. They had been married in Pennsylvania. The young man had told his bride that the money he had saved for the wedding would take them on a wedding trip to New York, but that they must not be extravagent, they would need to be economical in beginning housekeeping.

At this she smiled and promised to be exceedingly careful of the household funds. A trip to New York was all the wedding trip any girl needed, she

So they were married and started on their trip. When they got to New York the bride informed her husband that it would be nicer to drop their arrangements for the wedding trip and make a tour of the world instead.

"You see," she said with a blush and in an apologetic manner, "instead of being poor, as you thought me, I have a modest fortune of half a million dollars, but I wanted to be loved for myself

It was an astonished young man that listened to this announcement, but their appearance on the pier, taking an outgoing vessel, was proof that he did not regret the fact that the woman he had married as poor had turned out to be

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On a Japanese Warship. Japanese sailors on the Mikado's warships are thus described by Archibald S. Hurd: "These sailors of the far east take things very much as they find them with a stoical calm. They face danger with much the same spirit with which they take their pleasure and in spite of the rapid strides which civilization has made in their country their luxuries are few and they are contented and happy. They are devoted to simple sports, to fencing and to acting; no one can ever forget the dramatic entertainments on board the Japanese men-of-war who has been privileged to soon become dim of one of these ships when decked out in gala dress, with chrysanthemums, cherry blossoms and other blooms typical of Japan enlivening the grim aspect of the decks. The men are adepts in the making of imitation paper flowers, which so closely resemble the handlwork of nature that at a casual glance one hardly notices the deception.

Railway Construction. In 1857 an American named Collins first proposed a railway from the Amur to the village of Tchita. Later, several plans were formulated, but it was not until March 17, 1891, that the Trans-Siberian railroad was definitely determined on and projected by an imperial order. On May 19, 1891, the first stone was laid. The line covers 3,562 miles in Russian territory and 1,604 miles in Chinese territory. In ten and one-half years 5,166 miles of rails were laid. In the Canadian Pacific, constructed under similar conditions, it took ten years to lay 2,921 miles of rails.

rw a Status Pu Very warlike is the aspect of a dage ar equestrian statue in Belgium, yes there is no cause for alarm, since it to othing but a tree. Some ten years ago police officer retired from the force nd went to live near Charleroi. Being an amateur horticulturist, he ousied himself a good deal with trees and flowers and one day as he was trimming a hawthorn in his garden it occurred to him that it would be a ovel idea to train it in such a manaer that it would eventually assume the figure of a cavalry officer. At once be went to work, and after ten years' labor he succeeded in transforming the tree into a perfect picture of a mounted oldier. The tree is known in the neigh porhood as "Gen. Hawthorn," and hardly a day passes that strangers do not come from a considerable distance in order to view this wonderful exde of horticultural art .- Detroi

Russian Enterprise. The Russian government will establish permanent commercial museums in

The "Freesing" Cure. From France comes the experiment of "freezing" human beings as a cure for ne complaints. The original "subct" was placed in a steel fur-lined cylinder for a quarter of an hour at a time, a solution of various acids, at 110 de-grees below zero, being circulated through the cylinder's double walls. By eight such applications the man was cured after suffering from dyspepsia for

WHAT SCIENTISTS SAY.

M. Curie, the discoverer of radium, has found that the rays of radium color glass a violet blue. A plant at Niagara Falls is taking ni-

trogen from the air by electrolysis, but not yet in commercial quantity. Prof. Lapworth, regarding the moon

with a geologist's eye, feels convinced that it is an active and living world. Three months ago Dr. Pusepp, of St.

Petersburg, carried a small quantity of radium in his vest pocket for six hours. A few days later a painful wound apal it have so far failed

Dr. A. Negri, of Pavia, announced last March the discovery of the specific micro-organism of hydrophobia. He now states that he has examined more than 100 dogs with natural or laboratory hydrophobia, and has never failed to find the specific micro-organism in the nerve centers. On the other hand, he has never found it in other dogs.

The idea that comets are connected with radio-active substances was suggested by T. C. Chamberlain, as long ago as July, 1901. Prof. C. V. Boys now conciders that radium, whose particles are shot out at a twelfth of the velocity of light, may explain some of the phen na of comet's tails, as these particles would be sent away from the electrically charged surface of the sun in a single, double or multiple stream. The negatively charged rays that radium is said to give out would be attracted, giving the talls that on a few occasions have pointed toward the sun.

A brave young woman set forth from her home in Ireland not long ago. Four teen years before she had been engaged to marry John Lewis, who decided that he would make his fortune in America first. After 14 years trying he succeeded, and Miss Phoebe Jane Benn, the girl who had waited all these years for him, was told to join him.

With a willing heart she packed her trunks and came to New York. Thence she went to Northport, L. I., and the groom met her. The wedding took place immediately.

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Always Expecting to Stumble on Colossal Fortune-But His Best Finds Are Small,

The first men in the mines were a sort of madmen, writes Joaquin Miller, in the Sunset Magazine. Like Cortez and his men, they expected every day, every hour, to come upon untold wealth. Men really expected to find houses of gold, or at least nuggets as big as barns. I remember that I always, day after day, year after year, expected, some time and in some strange and sudden way, to stumble on a colessal fortune. Yet if I should receive 25 cents a day for what work I did in the mines there would to-day be quite a balance to my credit, and a hundred thousand miners could say as much.

No, the mines never paid the men who worked them greatly, whether in this rich camp or elsewhere. But the gold that was dug out contributed to the wealth of the world and carried it on and up, so that no one should now complain. The great big lumps of gold, however, were never found. You can search the gold history of all Australia through and through, as well as California, and be surprised to learn that there was never yet a single lump or nugget of gold found too heavy to be handled by even a woman. Many nuggets were found, it is true, that were very promising in weight and size, but that was all. Yet they were like alluring beacon lights, and every new nugget, or new and rich deposit of dust, only excited men the more. So, like the gold-hunting Spaniards, they pierced every mountain pass, every canyon and burrowed in the bed of every accessible river on the western slope before they had been here a year. It is a notable fact that all the placer mines in California were found during the first three months.

VALUE OF A GOOD YAWN.

Medical Men Declare It Relaxes Tense Nerves and Contracted Muscles -Rests the Whole Body.

Yawning is not at all times an in dication of a feeling of laziness. More frequently it is an evidence that certain muscles have been overstrained and require rest. Medical men aver that a yawn is nature's demand for rest. Some people think they only yawn because they are sleepy. But this is not so. You yawn because you are tired. You may be steepy, also, but that is not the real cause of your yawning. You are sleepy because you are tired, and you yawn because you

Whenever you feel like yawning, just yawn. Don't try to suppress it, because you think it is impolite to Put your hand over your mouth, if you want to, but let the yawn come. And if you are where you can stretch at the same time that you yawn, just stretch and yawn. This is nature's way of stretching and relaxing the muscles.

Don't be afraid to open your mouth wide and yawn and stretch whenever you feel like it. Indeed, if you are very tired, but do not feel like yawning, there is nothing that will rest you so quickly as to sit on a straightbacked chair, and, lifting the feet from peared on his body and all efforts to the floor, push them out in front of you as far as possible, stretch the arms, put the head back, open the mouth wide and make yourself yawn. Those tense nerves will relax, the

contracted muscles will stretch, and the whole body will be rested. Do this two or three times when you are tired, and see what it will do for you.

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By MISS MAY CLEMATIS.

Some, girls are too fresh. Do not go alone on excursions.

Every girl should protect herself. Do not express too much anxiety. Do not expect to please everybody. Courtship is of short duration now. Never introduce yourself to a male. Do not imagine that you are pretty. It is in bad taste to admire yourself. Artifice is like fresh cake it will get

Independence in a girl wil emand

S. T. You must be able to protect Be slow to speak but quick to com-

Self pride will after lead to ridicule id disgust.

When your conscience is right, you ed not fear. Always be on time when you intend

attend church. What will please some people will

t satisfy others. The honeymoon lasts three days onind hardly that,

T. Dresses have been quite tty this summer. Do your duty and nothing more can expected of you,

verything that becomes other peemay not become you.

will not respect you, neither d you ask to be introduced.

amiliarity should not be tolerated, Il cause you to be disrespected.

ellie. Deception is very often valent in a fickled minded girl,

orah. Do not be selfish. It is in taste to impose upon a true friend. aint on the face is vulgar. It readily nonstrates the character of the wo-

o lady will allow a man to walk with with a cigar or cigarette in his

iss E, You should not doubt when see evidences of affections and of

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ur good senses will [teach you her you are respected by your

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ssie. Be contented and you will There are times in ones life acts become bunglesome.

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How can you expect to demand ect if you do not conduct yourself erly. You ask for advice. Be wise your actions and conduct show

All work is honorable, and hould never be to proud to do rable work. Protect your honor atter where you may be or what

nay be doing. 8 M. You doubt yourself, hence annot trust others. You must confidence in some body. Never

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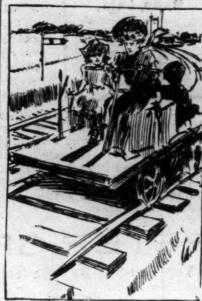
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You are going away for the ou want to know what is the do. It is better for you to go to quiet country place and rest up-annot afford to participate in the ies of life if you expect to resume l work in the fall. Your health lol permit you Take a good rest. NOVEL TRIP TO SCHOOL.

Brother and Sister Make Daily Round on Railroad Velocipede Propelled by Big Sister.

Miss Ina Crossett, who as telegraph perator and ticket seller helps her father in the raiload station at Wyanet Naturally This Combination Led to crossing on the Rock Island and Burlington roads, has a novel way of getting her bother and sister to school at the village of Wyanet. In the morning she takes them in a velocipede car and with the same vehicle brings them back again at night. She makes the mile and a half between the crossing and the village and back again in ten minutes.

In order to make the operating of the car easy for a woman her father boited who lost the heart. The only unromana board cross wise over the seat of the car. The young woman sits on one end and little Lucile, her sister, on the other. Willie, the brother, is made to sit on the the headline they put on the story. That words descriptive of beasts of the forrear seat, facing backwards, spotting any sounded like the cry of a dime musuem trouble that may come in the way of an "commercial orator," but that also was approaching train. The track is double be-tween the two stations, so that the trio



GOING TO SCHOOL

is most concerned as to what is running

Miss Crossett graduated at the same school and she figured it out that she had walked 5,000 miles in going back and forward while she was at her studies, and she determined to save her brother and sister such an extended trudging. The car is used to put up switch lights and for other purposes, and she induced him to equip it as described. When she and her sister each get a foot on the treadle and the wind is with them they sail up the big steel highway in grand style. If for any reason they are obliged to take the machine off the track the three are drilled to take hold after a cerance is yanked off the rails and set down

tain agreed on fashion and the contrivat a safe distance on the right of way. In the evening the children wait at a given point and are ready to help set the car on the right hand track and take

spinning homeward bound. WOLVES CHASE MEN.

their places. In an instant the car is

Traveling Salesman and His Driver Have Thrilling Adventure in Northern Minnesota

C. J. Chapman, of Duluth, Minn., a traveling salesman for a drug company, just had a thrilling experience with wolvesinthe wilds of Minnesota. Chapman engaged a team at Pine River to take him to Backus, 12 miles distant, Perry was in charge of the team.

Soon after dark, and while four miles from Backus, five wolves came up behind them. Perry was frightened and so were the horses. Chapman took the reins and told Perry to beat off the wolves with | through that city. the whip. The horses were urged to a

The team was becoming exhausted when a happy thought occurred to Perry. He had a well stocked lunch basket, and began throwing out its contents to the



STOPPED TO QUARREL.

wolves. The animals stopped to quarrel over the morsels, and when they resumed the chase another small quantity was thrown them.

One-half mile from Backus the last bit of food was thrown out and the empty lunch basket with it. The wolves, flercer and more eager than ever gained every moment. Chapman stood up in the sleigh and lashed the tired horses to a final effort. At the edge of town the wolves uttered angry howls of disappointment and gave up the pursuit. One of the horses will die.

Second Growth of Mair.

Some years ago the sexton of the Catholic church at Grand Falls, N. B. had a head of pure white hair. It became thinner and thinner, until in 1900 he was perfectly bald. Then a thick crop of jet black hair began to sprout, intermingled with gray. He is in his eighty-fifth year,

HEART WAS LEATHER HAUNTS DEEP WOODS

She Lost It and Beau of Her Childhood Found It.

Reunion and a Happy Wedding -A Case of Meddlesome Father.

"She lost her heart to him"-extract from any popular novel of the deeply sentimental type.

Once at least it has happened actually. The heart was lost-actually. The young man who got it married the girl tic thing about it was that the heart was leather.

"Wins girl with leather heart" was

The girl with the leather heart was Miss Naomi K. Woods, daughter of Benjamin F. Woods, of San Francisco. The man who found the leather heart and won the girl was Wilmot F. Haughton, son of the late Maj. Charles Haughton, of Louisville, Ky.

Mr. Woods had refused to allow Haughton to marry his daughter until he had stopped gambling and had saved \$2,500 by honest toil.

The way the leather heart comes to figure in the case is thus: Last year the fused to investigate at night. Wholesale Saddlery association, of which Mr. Woods is a member, met in Cleveland and Miss Woods attended the people living at Geo-ome-zu Springs, besessions with her father. The women at the meeting were presented each with a gleams in the forest. photograph case of morocco leather in the shape of a heart. Miss Woods put the startled servants of the little hotel her picture in the case and then lost it- at the springs a strange and weird-apthe heart and the picture. It was found by Haughton, who was astonished to find from whom he had been separated by tion. the edict of her father. Woods was debled and was not saving. That had been four years before.

When Haughton found the picture he carried it to the girl and said: "I should like to return this and claim

the reward."

The father found that the young man necessary \$2,500 and accordingly the engagement was announced.

was John Dineen, of Yankton, S. D. His red fox." rebellious son was Albert Dineen, aged 17, and the bride was Miss Jessie Lane,



RETURNED THE HEART.

the same age. They were married at Dakota City after they had been arrested by the Stoux City police while passing

After they had been arrested at the father's request he relented, the son declaring that he would not give the girl up. The conversation of young Dineen with the policemen while he was being held at Sioux City was interesting.

"Well. I see the old man has got me. exclaimed the young lover angrily. "I expected as much. I don't care. I won't give up Jessie for a minute. You won't consent to give me up, will you?" "Never!" exclaimed the girl.

"Father's mixing in this won't de any good," continued the boy. "I won't go home. If I go, I won't stay. I'll hike right back to Jessie. You just watch me. Is the old man coming down after me?' "I don't know," said the officer.

"Well, if he does, he'd better bring somebody with him, for I am a better man than dad is any day. He can't take me up there.

Dineen was searched at the police station. A pocketbook, in which reposed a lock of Jessie's hair, tied with a red ribbon, was found. He looked lingeringly at the lovelock as he passed it over to the officer.

The young man then told of how at seven o'clock in the morning he awoke, went into the next room, where his intended wife was staying, and wakened her. They gathered together a few articles of clothing, hired a hack, and went to the depot. He said their elopement would have been perfectly unknown to his father if he had not purchased a ticket at the depot.

"We intended to go to Dakota City and there get tied up," he said. "Jessie's nother lives 16 miles from there, and five miles from Homer. I can work. I have had to work ever since I was big enough to travel around, and I guess we could get along. The folks don't like Jessele. My parents and all the kids have in for her. I am game, though, and won't give her up.

Whereupon Jessie's eyes gleamed with egard, while she watched every move nant of her boy lover.

Afterwards the father relented, the poles released the lovers, and they went their way in peace.

Horse Versus Man Power. The strength of two horses equals that of 18 men.

Wild Man Whose Face Is Hidden by Rough Beard.

Avoided Civilization for Years, Bu Now Comes Daily to Country Hotel-Hair Like Mane Adds to Repulsiveness.

Living alone in a lair located in a tract of dense woods not far from Cincinnati is a mysterious creature, kuman in form, but with all the attributes of the animal strongly apparent.

Seldom seen, except in the early dawn er at dusk in the evening, no one has been able to give a good description of the mystery, and those who attempt to do so unconsciously fall into the use of

The locality chosen by the strange creature is a tract of dense woods situated about 11 miles from Cincinnati in Kenton county, Ky., and along the line of the C., N. & T. railway.

Through the trees in these woods occasional glimpses of firelight have been discovered at night by the few people

who live in that vicinity. Investigation in the daylight failed to locate any habitation, even so much as

For a time the source of the firelight

was a mystery which the simple re-Soon, however, those who lived on the edge of the forest, and particularly the came aware of the cause of the nocturnal

a hut of boughs or of sods.

There appeared at dawn one day to

pearing creature. It was without doubt a man, of whom the picture that of his old sweetheart, description fails to give a true concep-

He was hatless, with a thick mane of termined that Haughton should not mar- tawny hair matted into an almost solid ry his daughter, believing that he gam- mass, the lower part of his face concealed by a heavy beard as unkept and tangled as his hair, the upper part of his face an indescribable color from the effects of smoke and dirt.

His brutish appearance was augmented by the color of an old chinchilla ulster. which had once been brown, but which, had stopped gambling and had saved the from long use and exposure to the sun, wind, rain and contact with the earth, was, as has been described by one who Here's a stubborn father. This one saw the creature, "about the color of a

The remnants of a pair of ragged trousers showed beneath the coat. More by



WILD MAN OF THE WOODS.

signs than by speech this strange being signified that it was hungry. Food was offered him, which he

grasped ravenously, but instead of eating it at the door of the kitchen, he thrust it into an old coarse bag, and, turning without another word, he trotted off into the forest and was lost to sight. The servants told of their experience and the landlord and guests of the hotel awaited the next coming of the "wild

man," as the servants called him. When he again appeared, attempts were made to question him and to learn something of his mode of living, as well

as his identity. The question appeared to be unintelligible to the creature, with the exception of one, which asked where he came

In reply to this he muttered "Michigan," or a word that was taken for the name of that state. Securing his morsel of food, he again trotted away to the tle, of Arkansas; Loudenslager, of New Further efforts to elicit information

the first. He does not seem to understand what is wanted of him. He does not appear to fear questioning or investigation. He returns to the hotel daily, always at dusk or dawn, however, and gets his food, much as an animal would be prompted by instinct to seek

Its sustenance in the same place daily. Cat Rides on Car Truck.

An Albany (N. Y.) cat, perched on one of the trucks of a New York passenger train, made the journey between that city and Utica, traveling the distance at the rate of a mile a minute. The feline was well groomed, its sleek body indicating that it had a good home in the capital city. All attempts at persussion did not stir the cat when the train reached this city, for the reason it was frozen to the trucks. The cat was finally dielodged, and within ten minutes had thawed out, jumping nimbly about. It was ascertained that:

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There are 25 men who began their service in the house in the Fifty-third congress and who have served continbously since and are now entering upon their sixth term. For ten years they have been associated with each other, and the fact that so many beginning at that time should be reelected for five successive times has started some talk about the formation of a club, something like the Tantalus club, which should give a dinner once or twice during the winter. The difficulty with the Tantalus club is that it continues to grow on account of new members.

The Fifty-third Congress club cannot grow and is bound to decrease in numbers. Those who are eligible to the Fifty-third Congress club are Adams, of Pennsylvania; Babcock, of Wisconsin; Bartholdt, of Missouri; Cooper, of Wisconsin; Cooper, of Texas: Cousins, of Iowa; Curtis, of Kansas; Dinsmore, of Arkansas; Dovener, of West Virginia Gardner, of New Jersey; Gillet, of New



HON. JAMES A. TAWNEY. (Minnesota Congressman Who Is the Veterans of the House.)

York; Gillett, of Massachusetts; Lit-Jersey; McCall, of Massachusetts; Mc-Cleary, of Minnesota; Maddox, of have been even more signal failures than Georgia; Mahon, of Pennsylvania; Parker, of New Jersey; Swanson, of Virginia; Tate, of Georgia; Tawney, of Minnesota; Van Voorhis, of Ohio; Wanger, of Pennsylvania, and Williams, of Mississippi.

These men, who were all cubs back in that congress which met first in the summer of 1893 to repeal the silver purchase act, have quite a fondness for one another. Naturally, as new members, they were thrown in each other's soclety. In that congress they had little to do saye to sit back and watch the wheels go round. So engrossed with themselves and the business of the house were the older members that they paid little attention to these new men, who sort of flocked by themselves.

But they are no longer the men who were merely onlookers. One of them, Williams, is the minority leader; another, Tawney, is the republican "whip" and the speaker's right hand man. One, Babcock, has been chairman of the republican congressional campaign committee in five successive and successful campaigns; one, Cooper, of Wisconsin is chairman of the insular committee Dinsmore is the ranking minority mem ber of foreign affairs. Nearly every one of them has taken a prominent place in



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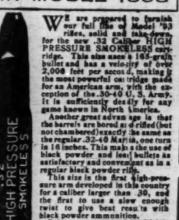
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His Remedy. Johnny-Ma, aren't they using kere one off to get rid of the mosqui Mamma-Yes; I believe so. Johnny-I wonder why they don't rive them castor oil?-Puck.

Off on a Bender. Officer-I suppose you gents are en

easure bent. The Gents-Not exactly; but we have a hic-leaving that way. Harvard Lampoon.

TO THE REPUBLICAN, ELECTORS OF THE UNITED STATES:

In accordance with established custom and in obedience to instructions of the mational convention of 1900, the National Republican Committee directs that a national convention of delegated representatives of the Republican party be held at the city of Chicago, in the State of Illinois, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the President and Vice President to be voted for at the Presidential election Tuesday, November 8, 1904, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before It, and that said convention shall assemble at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1904. In accordance with established custon

o'clock noon on luesday, the last of of lune, 1904.

The Republican electors of the several States and Territories, and the District of Columbia, Alaska and Indian Territory, and all other electors, without regard to past political affiliations, who believe in the principles of the Republican party and indorse its policies, are cordially invited to unite under this call in the selection of candidates for President and Vice President dates for President and Vice Presi-

Said national convention shall consist of a number of delegates at large from each State equal to double the number of United States Senators to which each State is entitled, and for each Representative at large in Congress two delegates at large. From each Congressional district and the District of Columbia, two delegates. From each of the Territories of Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Hawaii, and Indian Territory, six delegates. gates. From Alaska, four delegates. For each delegate elected to said convention an alternate delegate shall be elected to act in case of the absence of the delegate, such alternate delegate to be elected at the time and in the

manner of electing the delegate.

All delegates shall be elected not less than thirty days before the meet ing of the natiol convention. Delegates at large shall be elected by popular State an I Territorial conventions, of which at least thirty days' notice shall have been published in some newspaper or newspapers of general circulation in the respective States and Terri-

The Congressional district delegates shall be elected by conventions called by the Congressio al committee of each district in the manner of nominat ing the candidate for Representative in Congress in said district; pro id d, that in any Congressional district where there is no Republican Congressional committee, the Republican State committee shall appoint from among the Republican residents in each district a committee for the purpos : of calling a district convention to elect. delegates to represent said district.

The election of delegates from the District of Columbia shall be held under the direction and supervision of an election bord composed of Mr. Caapin Brown, Mr. George H. Harris, and Mr John F. Cook.

Such board shall have a thority to

fix the date of such election and to arrange all details and regulations inci-dent thereto, and shall provide for a registration of the votes as cast, such registration to include the name and residence of each voter.

The Territorial delegates shall be elected in the manner of nominating candidates for delegates in Congress, and delegates from Alaska and Indian Territory shall be elected by popular Convention.

All notices of contests shall be sub

mitted in writing, accompanied by a printed statement setting forth the grounds of contest, which shall be filed with the secretary of the national committee twenty days prior to the meet ing of the national convention. Contests will be acted on by the national convention in the order of the date of filing of notice and statement with the PERRY S. HEATH, M. A. HANNA,

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As a result of all the missionary effort thus far put forth in India, about 2,500,000 out of the nearly 300,000,000 of natives are nominal Christians. On the other hand, Mohammedanism now embraces about 20 per cent. of the population of India, and its influence is growing, rather than waning. In view of these facts, the question at the head of this article assumes considerable significance. Mr. Frederic Austin Ogg. who writes an informing article in the Open Court, Chicago, on the conflict between Christianity and Mohammedanism in India, believes that eventually Christianity will triumph; but he also believes (1) that many centuries of time will be necessary to accomplish this result; (2) that, in the meantime Mohammedanism, "the religion rapidly becoming dominant in the orient," will have to be defeated on its own ground; (3) that this will necessitate the employment of very different means from those now in use, and (4) that when India shall be Christianized it will not be de-orientalized, and the Flour, Feed, Grain Christianity that supplants the existing faiths will probably not accord at all with what is considered orthodox in the The exact manner in which Moham-

medanism was brought into India is, it seems, a mattemof controversy. For a long time it was supposed that invaders from the north, probably from Arabia, forced it upon the Hindoos at the point of the sword. Mr. Ogg, however, takes the view that "Mohammedanism was propagated in India by preaching and persuasion, and was accepted by so large a proportion of the people because of conviction rather than compulsion." He writes further:

"The magnitude of the conflict now on between Mohammedanism and Christianity in Asia, Africa and the islands of the eastern seas, is by no means realized by the majority of western people. On all its boundaries Islam is steadily advancing. Moreover, as a recent writer has pointed out, it is constantly developing an internal cohesio which may in time bring the Moslems in all the vast region from the Niger to the Ganges into a conscious unity of purpose. When this is accomplished. the world may look for some interest



THE CHURCHES IN INDIA. (Diagram

ing developments. It is estimated that Islam's gains in India alone counterbalance its losses in all other parts of the . In Bengal, containing 74,713,020 inhabitants, a third of whom are Mohammedans and only two-tenths of one per cent. of whom are Christians, the greatest progress in proselytism is under way. Mohammedanism is not advancing in India with the rapidity which characterizes western religious movements. But considering the rigid conservatism to be overcome and the exclusively peaceful means employed, the results must be quite satisfactory to men of the Asiatic turn of mind."

The writer attributes a great part of the success of the Mohammedan propaganda to its dogmatism. "illuminating force of a belief in a single God" and the authoritative teachings of the Koran make a strong appeal he thinks, to those who have known only the vagueness and uncertainty of the Buddhistic faiths. If it be asked why Christianity, also a monotheistic and authoritative religion, has not met with the same ready response, Mr. Ogg replies that there are many reasons. In the first place, Mohammedanism has the advantage both of priority and of Asiatic kinship. "Explain it as we may, there is an intellectual and spiritual barrier between the Asiatic and the European which no amount of effort has ever yet been able to break down." The attitude of the two religions toward the Indian caste system strikingly illustrates the truth of this statement. While Christianity "proclaims the natural rights and equality of men, and by so doing strikes a death-blow at the caste-system," Mohammedanism "merely asks the Hindoo to change caste by entering the great brotherhood of the faithful.

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